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**NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION WEEK**--The Grayling City/Township Fire Department was kept busy last week teaching area children about fire safety. Nine different classes of children from the Grayling Elementary School and the Grayling Co-Op Nursery toured the department, where they learned about fire safety from several firemen on duty. The children were also given special fire-prevention packets and each sprayed water from a tanker truck firehose. Above, fireman Scott Howe helps 4-year-old Jay Wichert use the firehose while Co-Op Nursery Assistant Cheryl Alandt looks on.

Photo by Terry Wright/Avalanche

## Budget cuts force winter layoff of civilians at Camp Grayling

Camp Grayling Training Site Manager LTC. Gary McConnell announced on Friday, Oct. 13, that 24 of 38 non-military state employees at the camp will be laid off from their positions, effective Saturday, Nov. 4.

He said plans call for three to be called back on Dec. 3, for winter snow plowing, with the remaining 21 to be called back on April 4, 1996. Fourteen state employees will not be laid off.

"I met with all the state people," McConnell said. "It was not easy, but I explained that we just don't have the

money to keep them on. All the layoffs were based on seniority."

State employees at Camp Grayling include carpenters, locksmiths, wastewater plant operators, storekeepers and secretaries.

Several of the effected employees were contacted by the Avalanche, but declined to comment on the layoffs.

McConnell said the layoffs will not save any money for the state, but are necessitated by a 30-percent reduction in military budgets at the federal level.

State employees at Camp Grayling are paid by federal monies which are given to the State of Michigan, and if federal budgets for state National Guards are increased, McConnell said the employees could be called back earlier than scheduled.

He said a budget resolution to increase National Guard monies is currently being considered by President Clinton, but the president had earlier vetoed increased military spending.

## Businesses thank local customers at 10th 'Thank You Grayling Day'



**COOKIN UP A SPECIAL TREAT**--Employees at GSB took time out of their busy schedules on Thursday, Oct. 12, to serve the public in a little different way. Saying 'thank you' to local customers are (L to R) Gerry VanSickle, Arnold Bader, GSB President James Kanary, Nick Cilfone of Citizens Bank in Saginaw, and retired Grayling State Bank President Jack Alef. Alef originated Thank You Grayling Day in 1986, to show appreciation to local customers after the busy summer tourist and military seasons are over, so businesses can concentrate on the residential customers that shop here each and every day of the year.

## Voters to decide \$4 million Kirtland College bond issue

On Tuesday, Oct. 24, voters will head to the polls to voice their opinion about a proposed \$7.5 million expansion project at Kirtland Community College. Voters will vote on a \$4 million bond issue, the remaining \$3.5 million will come from the state, student facility fees and Kirtland's building fund.

Kirtland was the only community college in the state to receive funding this year for building projects. The state will provide Kirtland with

\$2,770,000 as long as the local community can match this amount.

Tuition will increase by approximately a \$1.80 per credit hour. This means students will pay for approximately \$500,000 toward the expansion. This will cost a full-time student \$54 per year, which is 10 times what the typical home owner will pay in one year.

The ballot on Oct. 24, will read, "Shall Kirtland Community College, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to

exceed Four Million Dollars (\$4,000,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping an addition or additions to and partially remodeling, refurbishing and reequipping existing college facilities, in part, for allied health and criminal justice program purposes; acquiring and installing educational technology systems; and developing and improving sites?"

The proposed expansion doesn't include building any new structures, but rather remodeling and adding on to current structures. The total expansion is broken down into four projects. The projects include the renovation and expansion of the academic building, the administration building and the "old maintenance" building.

Student enrollment at Kirtland Community College has increased by more than 50 percent since the last facility expansion in 1985. Kirtland's enrollment has increased from 1,790 students in 1986, to 2,798 students in 1995. During this same time, the number of classes taken by students has increased by 52 percent. An increase in population, along with new programs and services have contributed to Kirtland's growth.

### Where to vote

Polls will open at 7 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 24, and close at 8 p.m.

Residents of the City of Grayling, Grayling Township and those portions of Beaver Creek and Bear Lake Townships within the Crawford AuSable School District, will vote at the Grayling Middle School.

Residents of Frederic Township and that portion of Otsego Lake Township within the Crawford AuSable School District, will vote at the Frederic Elementary School.

Residents of Lovells Township will vote at the Lovells Township Hall.

Residents of South Branch Township and that portion of Beaver Creek Township within the Gerrish-Higgins School District will vote at the CRAF Center (old middle school) in Houghton.

## Township to finance \$25,000 Pontiac Fiberboard land study

By Terry Wright  
News Editor

By unanimous vote, the Grayling Township Board of Trustees has agreed to finance a \$25,000 topographical study of the section of state-owned land proposed as a site for the construction of the Pontiac Fiberboard industrial complex.

The property is a square-mile section located just east of AJD Forest Products on Four Mile Road. It is currently owned by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, but an application has been filed by Pontiac Fiberboard to purchase it.

At its Tuesday, Oct. 10 monthly meeting, the board voted to hire Wilcox and Associates of Cadillac, to begin a 2-phase study to determine if the property is suitable for heavy industrial use. Phase one will include topographical mapping and soil samples which will determine if the property is suitable for the Pontiac

Fiberboard plant. Phase one will cost \$19,000.

If the land is suitable for heavy industry, Wilcox and Associates will continue with phase two, which will include an analysis and evaluation of the land and a summary of findings. Phase two will cost \$6,000.

The approval of the study removes the first obstacle in the construction of the proposed \$135 million wood-products complex that promises to bring 310 jobs to the county. Construction is scheduled to begin in the spring of 1996, with production of a laminated-veneer lumber project scheduled for July, 1997.

A much larger obstacle for entrepreneur developer Volker Stockman, who is president of Pontiac Fiberboard Ltd., will be the release of increased amounts of harvestable red pine and northern-hardwood timbers by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and the U.S. Forest Service.

Stockman has consistently said, "The two public land owners must make available incremental wood volume in order for this project to succeed."

The \$25,000 had originally been requested as a loan, with the promise of a payback. Stockman called the loan "risk money provided by local municipalities, to give comfort to all other parties who will invest in this project."

In a previous meeting, the township board determined it would be inappropriate to loan the money directly to Stockman. Paying for the topographical study, necessary to the Pontiac Fiberboard project, was an alternative, but the cost will not be returned to the township.

Grayling Township Supervisor Arnold Stancil said the township will own the study and will make it available to other business ventures if

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## Grayling Township investigates producing own master plan

A county-wide Master Plan, recently rejected by county commissioners, may soon be resurrected on a smaller scale for Grayling Township.

At its Tuesday, Oct. 10 meeting, the Grayling Township Board of Trustees came to a consensus to explore the possibility of a township master plan.

Supervisor Arnold Stancil said, "I think the county commissioners are making a bad move. For them not to have a master plan...I think they're going to find themselves in trouble."

A master plan, as an official guide for future development of industrial, commercial, recreational and residential land and resource use is mandatory for the adoption of zoning regulations. Another goal is to identify parcels of federal or state-owned land that could be beneficial for future development under private ownership.

The board agreed to allow Stancil to contact The Planning and Zoning Center of Lansing, the company county commissioners had previously rejected, to request an estimate to develop a master plan for Grayling Township. After a discussion, the

board decided to accept bids from other planning firms also.

Stancil said a land-use study approved for the proposed Pontiac Fiberboard industrial project on Four Mile Road could be used as part of a township master plan.

Stancil also recommended that the City of Grayling be invited to join the project since the city is entirely surrounded by the township.

Crawford County commissioners rejected the master plan earlier in October, on a 3-3 tie vote. Commission Chairman Dennis Long led the opposition saying the development of a master plan should originate with the townships, not the county.

Stancil will report his findings to the township board at its Tuesday, Nov. 14 monthly meeting.

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We promised you something very, very special—and here it is. Bill and Marty Gannon of Gannon Broadcasting (WGRY/WQON), will be auctioning off a 10-day trip to Maui. Yes—that's Maui, Hawaii. Ten days at a penthouse condo! If this isn't something to make you want to bid—then nothing will.

However, if Hawaii seems out of the question, there are dozens of other items. Pauline and Luke Petroskey of the Comfort Center, have donated a beautiful 3-cushion sofa. Floyd Hanger of Advanced Business Machines, will

be one of this year's celebrity auctioneers, and has promised a very special item. Radio station WUPS is donating a fun-filled stay at Treetops Resort.

During the evening, there is always great food to buy, or to bid on. Grayling Promotional Association's cookie trays have been selling briskly for many years. There are always pizzas and shrimp trays, whether you want to freeze them for later, or eat them right

away. The prize board will be there. Tickets are \$10, and the prizes are always worth more than the investment.

Remember to keep Saturday, Nov. 4, highlighted on your calendar. Plan to come early for the silent auction and stay late for the rest of the exciting evening. United Way helps our entire community. Remember to "Touch a life...the United Way."

## KCC, River House Shelter celebrate anniversary of women's right to vote

In celebration of the 75th anniversary of women's right to vote, Kirtland Community College and River House Shelter are sponsoring "Valuing The Voice: A Celebration of Women's Past and Future," on Thursday, Nov. 2, on the Kirtland campus.

The 1-day event is free and begins at 11 a.m. in Kirtland's Continuing Education Center. The keynote presentation will be made by Mildred Jeffery, who was elected to the Women's National Hall of Fame at the 1995 convention of the National

Women's Political Caucus. Her address is entitled: *Moving Women Into the 21st Century*.

"The day has been designed," said Kirtland's CEC director Allison Goshorn, "to provide an opportunity for women in Crawford, Oscoda, Ogemaw and Roscommon counties to join together to focus on issues of interest and resources of value to women."

The agenda also calls for exhibits in the student center, featuring organizations which provide resources for women; round-table discussions; a

panel discussion on women's health; a writing contest; and, a reception from 5 to 7 p.m. Registration for all events is appreciated and may be made by calling (517) 275-5121, ext. 210.

Jeffery works with community people to organize grass-roots support to persuade decision makers in the White House and in Congress, to adopt policies that will move the country and the world forward to a society of peace and justice. She was a participant in the recent Non-government Forum

in Beijing, China. She was elected to the Michigan Women's Hall of Fame in 1984, and the National Hall of Fame in 1995. She was also a delegate to the Women for a Meaningful Summit, present for the first summit meeting of President Reagan and Premier Gorbachev in Geneva, Switzerland, in 1987. Here, women from all over the world joined together to make a powerful plea for peace to the leaders of the then two most powerful nations in the world.

## McManus co-sponsors bill to save home-heating tax credit

The home-heating tax credit which has helped low-income families across the state make it through long, cold Michigan winters for more than 16 years may now be extended for another five years, Senator George McManus, R-Flint, announced recently.

"Michigan winters can be brutally cold, especially up north," said McManus. "Those hit hardest by excessively-high utility bills are most often the elderly."

The home-heating tax credit expired in 1994, but with the introduction of Senate Bill 721, the heating tax credit would be extended through 1999. Senator McManus co-sponsored this legislation introduced by fellow northern Michigan Senator Walt North, R-St. Ignace. The credit amount would be calculated on an income basis and would include at least those

with a household income of less than 110 percent of the federal poverty level. Heating fuel providers would receive vouchers from the state for qualified claimants.

"It is important to keep the home-heating tax credit for these individuals," McManus continued. "I can't imagine spending an entire Michigan winter, or even a day without a basic necessity such as heat. I just hope my Senate colleagues agree with the extension of this program. The credit was a good idea 16 years ago, and it's still a solid program today."

## Land-use study

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Pontiac Fiberboard fails in its bid to locate there.

Representatives of Wilcox and Associates who were present at the meeting said it is not uncommon for a municipality to finance land-use studies on properties owned by a third party, especially if specific business interests are seeking options on the property.

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# COMMUNITY NEWS BRIEFS

## Local youth accepted to Interlochen Arts Academy

Andy (Andrew L.) Hunter, 16, of Grayling, has been accepted to attend Interlochen Arts Academy, this country's leading high school for fine arts and academics.

Andy, the son of John and Barbara Hunter, will study trombone at the academy. He is currently principal trombone in the Interlochen band.

Established in 1962 as an extension of Interlochen Arts Camp, the academy

is an independent, co-educational boarding school for grades nine through 12, plus an optional post-graduate year. It offers both intensive academic programs and pre-professional fine arts training. Students may major in creative writing, dance, theatre arts, music, visual art or academics.

The academy attracts its 428 students from 45 states and 20 other countries.

## Bondar named Century 21 MVP

**MOST VALUABLE PLAYER**—Century 21's regional MVP for September is Debbie Bondar, sales associate with Century 21 River Country in Grayling. Bondar is a past Centurion, Masters Club member, and Top 21 Associate. She is a charter member of the Gold Ambassadors Club, and organization of top producers in the northern council who provide counseling to new associates and networking opportunities with other associates. Bondar also has managed responsibilities at her company's Roscommon location, and has attended Operation Orbit. Earlier this year, she was one of only eight sales associates nationwide to participate in a Century 21 videotape program on success in the real estate business. She is also very active in her

community and was recently elected president of the Grayling Rotary Club, the first woman to hold this position.



Debbie Bondar

## Grayling writers contribute to inspirational book

Two local women are honored to be among writers from over 20 countries who contributed to *A Moment of Peace*, a newly-released inspirational anthology. This 400-page book is the fourth in a highly successful series of women's daily devotional books published by Review and Herald Publishing Association of Hagerstown, Maryland.

Selected for inclusion were "Beauty Spots" by Marjory Button Bodi of Grayling, and "Mud Puddle" and "Future Fortunes" by Kathleen Stearnman Pflugrad, also of Grayling. Bodi is a labor and delivery nurse at Grayling's Mercy Hospital. Pflugrad is a free-lancer and former teacher.

Contributions from 228 other women writing from Australia, Brazil, Canada, Côte d'Ivoire, Cyprus,

England, Greece, India, Jamaica, Jordan, Madagascar, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, South Africa, Trinidad, USA, Wales and Zaire, give the book a true multicultural flavor and appeal. The kaleidoscope of personal views and experiences are designed to provide a daily moment of delight and peace to the reader throughout the new year. The book is an especially appropriate holiday gift for the special women on your list.

Proceeds from the book's sale will go to a women's scholarship fund. According to Rose Otis, editor, profits from the first three books in the series have funded at least 125 full or partial scholarships for women around the world.

*A Moment of Peace* can be ordered at local Christian bookstores or by calling 1-800-876-9222.

## HOMETOWN NEWS

Ferris State University's winter semester academic honors list includes 1,160 students, university officials have announced.

Among the honored students were Peter J. Oppermann, Christopher J. Lehti and Robert A. Aubry, all of Grayling, and Harold E. Partello of Frederic.

## Congressman Camp's representative to visit South Branch, Oct. 26

A representative for Congressman Dave Camp will be visiting the South Branch Township Hall on Thursday, Oct. 26. Tarin Boven will be meeting constituents between 2-3 p.m., to discuss any federal issue or matter. The township hall is located on 5245 M-18, Roscommon. If you are unable to attend, but wish to discuss a federal matter, call 1-800-342-2455.

## Habitat to form in Crawford County

There will be a meeting for the purpose of starting a Habitat For Humanity in Crawford County. This meeting will take place on Oct. 30, at 7 p.m., in the dining room of the Senior Center on Lawndale. The Senior Center is located right behind Burger King.

The director of Habitat for the state of Michigan, will be at the meeting, and will be ready to answer any and all questions. If you have any questions, call 348-4341, and ask for Gloria Mologianes. We hope to see you there. The time is right, let's get this good thing going for our community.

## Eastern Star holds Michigan Grand Chapter

Fifteen members of Grayling Chapter #83 of the Order of the Eastern Star recently attended the 129th session of the Grand Chapter of the Eastern Star of Michigan at the Saginaw Civic Center.

The Order of the Eastern Star is the largest fraternal organization in the world to which both men and women belong, with two million members world-wide.

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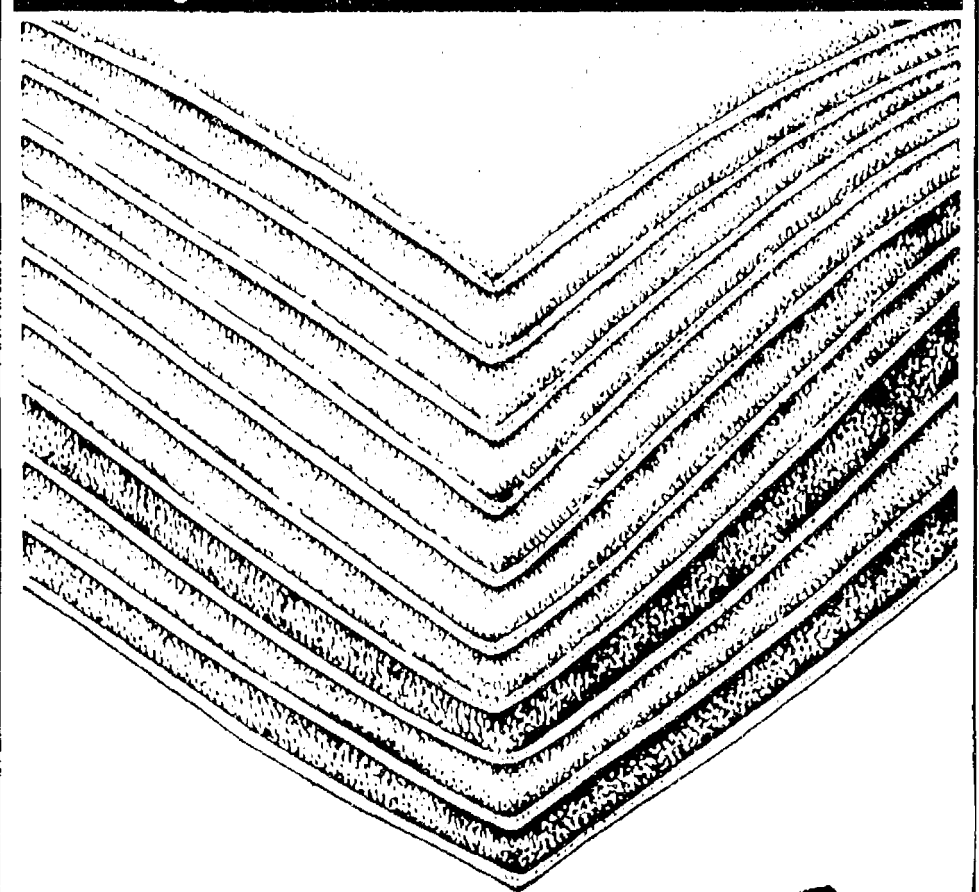
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# ISSUES AND OPINIONS



**ALMANACK** By Richard Milliman

## Third party? How about fourth or fifth?

1996 PRESIDENTIAL campaign possibilities—with election still more than a year away—grow curiouser and curiouser.

First came Gen. Colin Powell with his book tour igniting towering flames of speculation.

Will he run for president in 1996? As Republican or Democrat? How about as an independent? Would he settle for vice president? Or is all this hoopla merely designed to sell books?

And then front and center came H. Ross Perot, who promised to put a third party in the 1996 political mix.

More questions arise. Will Mr. Perot be a candidate of his new Independent Party (he says no)? Or will Gen. Powell enlist in the Perot campaign, either as the top candidate or in some other way?

Or will the Perot Independent Party eventually decline to field a presidential candidate at all—perhaps concentrating on a limited number of congressional races—but in addition

just keep the presidential pot boiling and end up throwing in with one of the major party candidates?

Or is the Perot third party push primarily designed to keep the spirited Texan in charge of political dissension, instead of yielding this mantle to the emerging prominence of Gen. Powell?

Ah, yes. The 1996 election cycle bubbles with possibilities.

**MEANWHILE**, OUT on a fringe of another sort, waits Jesse Jackson, who admittedly is playing a waiting game.

No stranger to this sort of thing, Mr. Jackson has said he might launch his own presidential bid if he's not satisfied with how President Bill Clinton is doing.

Mr. Jackson has indicated he'll wait until spring to decide whether to challenge the President.

If he does—or even if speculation grows that he might enter the presidential lists—Mr. Jackson certainly will be courted and cajoled by Democratic insiders, who would prefer that the Clinton vote not be divided.

In the past, the threat of candidacy has helped give Mr. Jackson visibility and high level access for his concerns; this may be his real goal again.

The possibilities don't end there, either. Sen. Bill Bradley, New Jersey Democrat, in announcing a while back against seeking a new senate term, indicated he might pursue an independent candidacy for the White House.

Washington beltway experts have speculated a similar scenario for low-key Democratic Sen. Sam Nunn of Georgia.

Lowell Weicker, former Republican senator from Connecticut, also served as an independent governor, and could be available for higher office.

And so it goes.

**OBVIOUSLY** considerable discontent with the two major political parties exists around the country, as well as uncertainty about the most obvious major party candidates, including the President.

Mr. Perot tapped a similar vein among the voters in 1992, winning about 19 percent of the vote and making Mr. Clinton a minority winner.

It can be argued that if it had not been for Mr. Perot and his 19 percent, President George Bush may have won reelection in 1992.

But that was then and this is now. From the wide range of possible splinter candidates—most of whom likely will not develop into the genuine article at election time—it seems voter uncertainty is back again this time...in spades.

Will there be a "third party" on the ballot in 1996 (in addition to the other "third parties" which more-or-less regularly appear on the general

election ballot, such as Libertarian and Socialist Workers)? Without much doubt.

In addition to a "third party" as the instrument of Ross Perot, there could even be a "fourth party" pushing Gen. Colin Powell, and a "fifth party" based on the Rainbow Coalition of the Rev. Jesse Jackson, and even a sixth or seventh or eighth party with sundry disillusioned former senators at the various helms.

Who's going to be president when the smoke clears?

With the extent of fractionalism that's possible, all bets are off.

But, the general rule is that the more candidates available, the more help it gives to the guy who already has the job.

*Richard Milliman is a veteran newspaperman and a contributing columnist to several Michigan newspapers.*



## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Vandal apologizes for cemetery desecration

To the community,  
If you may recall, at the beginning of June, the Elmwood Cemetery was seriously desecrated by vandals. I was one of the three vandals involved in this heinous crime. If you may recall, we rudely, without the thought of other's feelings, tipped over a total of nine tombstones and spray painted crude sexual comments on two others. We, also, without thinking of anyone else, spray painted statements on two nearby houses.

I was caught and put to trial. I have had a long time to think about what I did, while serving time in a detention center. One night, about a week later, as I lay in bed trying to fall asleep, I realized exactly what I had done. I thought about how the families of these people must, and how I would feel if the same thing happened to the tombstone of one of my loved ones. I thought, and I thought really hard, it made me feel really bad, ashamed of what I had done, so ashamed that I wanted to crawl under a rock and die, it also made me feel really angry. Angry, that I had acted like a small child, without thinking, and had hurt the feelings of so many people.

At this time, I would like to send my deepest apologies to every person in the town of Grayling. I now realize that my behavior, as a youth in this community, reflects on you and the community as a whole. I would like to also say that I am truly sorry to the families of the people whose tombstones I crudely desecrated. I am

also very sorry about the two houses we spray painted on. I know that if I had to live in one of those houses, I would be really embarrassed about it. I am so sorry that I committed this crude, uncalled for prank that hurt a whole lot of people really bad. Every time I think about what I did, or someone brings it up in a conversation, it makes me want to crawl under a rock and die. If I would have known whose tombstones or houses that we desecrated, I believe that I would not have done what I did. I also believe that if I would have known how I was going to feel afterwards, as well as the victims, I would not have done it.

I believe that the punishment I received for this extremely ugly act, was just. I know a lot of people believe I got off easy, but the punishment, as well as the guilt I live with every day, is almost more than I can handle. Once again, I would like to say that I am so sorry. I regret what I did and wish there was some way to go back in time so I would not make that mistake. I would like to ask for the community to forgive me, but I know that I do not deserve it.

Sincerely Yours,  
Cemetery Vandal

*Editor's note--The above letter appears in the Avalanche as an order to the juvenile offender by the Crawford County Probate Court. The writer was given the option of including his/her signature and chose not to sign the letter.*

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### AVALANCHE DEADLINES

Community news items submitted to the Avalanche must be turned in to the office by Monday noon, to appear in our Wednesday issue.

Letters to the Editor and photographs must be turned in by Friday noon to be considered for the next issue. Please use every other line.

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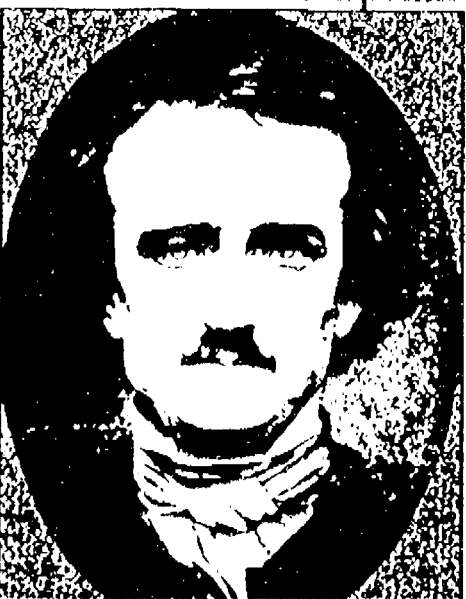
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#### Editor's Quote Book

Never fight fair with a stranger, boy. You'll never get out of the jungle that way.

Aruthur Miller

#### American Viewpoints



From childhood's hour I have not been as others were. I have not seen as others saw.

Edgar Allan Poe

### JIM FITZGERALD

#### List of 'guy things' misses the mark—and the point

A few days after learning that I was to receive the Good Guy Award from the Michigan Women's Political Caucus, I read a newspaper article listing what the typical guy likes to do. The first one was spit. The other most popular "guy things" listed were "hunting, drinking, fishing, playing golf, dismantling car engines, talking back and forth in song lyrics, and laughing at the Three Stooges."

The list was compiled by Paul Somerville, the founder of the Department of Manliness at Morningside College in Sioux City, Iowa. The only guy things on it that I ever liked to do are golfing and drinking, and the older I get, the less I do of even those two. My digestive system isn't what it used to be, not to mention my putting.

For just one example, my family would surely hoot at the suggestion that I might dismantle a car engine. I recall a motor vacation when our car broke down and my wife and kids actually applauded and cheered because it took me only 15 minutes to figure out how to put the hood up.

He, Tarzan; she, Jane Fonda  
So I probably wouldn't be allowed inside the Department of Manliness without a note from my father, who once bowled 300, for God's sake. And it might be more appropriate to give me a Bad Guy award. Which would be OK with me.

Men can yell and curse, and shake fingers under each other's noses, and

even exchange blows when sufficiently provoked. They can bank tables and slam doors and get drunk and wrestle each other to the floor in boyish exuberance.

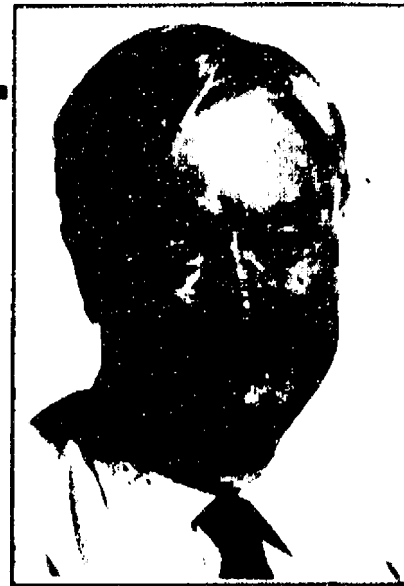
Men can do all those things and still get elected to Congress, or mayor of Washington. But if a woman hollers for a taxi, she is considered crude, rather pushy and possibly a female impersonator. She can't get elected to the township zoning board.

When a man blows his cool, he is expressing righteous anger. He is a man to be reckoned with. He is not afraid to stand up and holler for what is right. He is Robert Redford, bravely telling the oil interests to stop dripping on his ski trail. A good man.

When a woman blows her cool, it is probably her time of the month. Her emotions have got the best of her. She is hysterical but she'll feel better after she lies down awhile. She is Jane Fonda on a TV talk show, talking about things she knows nothing about.

Our society gives power and prestige to men who behave like raucous idiots, often known as convention delegates. It is ridiculous to despise women for talking loud enough to be heard over the sound of teacups rattling.

And it is ridiculous to not listen to them, applaud them, and elect them. Look around you at a nation, a world, so cruel and violent it numbs decent people's minds and makes them feel like giving up. That's what macho guy things have done for us.



Women couldn't possibly do a worse job, and they deserve more and better chances to prove it.

#### The Millie recognizes real progress

I've written stuff like this before, of course, which is why I was secondarily honored last year at a banquet in Southfield, sponsored by the bipartisan Michigan Women's Political Caucus, part of a national organization devoted to improving the world through women.

The far more important purpose of the gathering was to present the Millie Award to then state Sen. Lana Pollack and Debbie Stabenow, then a Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor.

That award is named after Millie Jeffrey, Michigan's own nationally known political activist who, almost for as long as I can remember, has been showing women like Pollack and Stabenow the way to go.

The Millie awards were much more deserved and meaningful than the Good Guy award. But I was certainly pleased to receive it from the Michigan Women's Political Caucus instead of the National Rifle Association.

### DOODLES FROM THE TALL TIMBER

By Wendell L. Hoover, Park Interpreter, North Higgins Lake State Park

Recently, an envelope reached my desk and therein were over 200 black and white negatives, most of which were taken at various times in the nursery. Once proof sheets are available, photos can be selected for use in various exhibits or displays and programs. There should be many visual answers to questions now unanswered about the nursery, but I still need your stories and anecdotes to bring life to the visual and verbal history. Give me a call at (517) 821-6125, or write me in care of North Higgins Lake State Park, 11252 N. Higgins Lake Drive, Roscommon, MI 48653.

When cones were brought to the nursery, they were stored, if room was available, in the cone barn. Photos show large piles of cones near the cone barn awaiting processing, which must have made the squirrels happy. Prior to processing, the cones were stored in the loft of the cone barn, where they started to dry out, and were turned with a square-pointed shovel every day to prevent them from molding and getting hot, which would ruin the seed.

The heat from the furnace in the basement would help the cones in the loft lose some moisture prior to their

deposition in the ovens which have 10 shallow screen-bottom trays. The screen kept any seeds, which might fall out of the cones, from falling into the heat duct or on the floor. Heat from the furnace reached each of the four ovens via a duct, and it was an 8-to-10-hour process to get the cones open so the seeds could be extracted. White pine cones were heated to 100 degrees, red pine cones to 120 degrees and Jack pine cones to 140 degrees.

Without a thermostat to govern the heat, it was a fly-by-the-seat-of-your-pants process, but it was a process that was proven over and over again during the 60 years the nursery was in operation. Keep in mind that when the processing of cones started, it went on around the clock, 24 hours a day, until the available cones had been processed. Some years there were as many as 4,600 bushels of cones to process.

Once the cones were open, the trays in the oven were emptied into the tumbler. It required at least a half hour of manual turning to extract the seeds from the cones in one oven. (There were four ovens). Under the tumbler is a shallow tray to catch the seeds and loose debris such as twigs, needles

and scales from the cones.

After the tumbling process was complete, the cones were put in a metal container and wet down. The moisture caused the cones to close, and later those cones would be put back in the ovens for a second heat treatment. The second heating process caused the cones to open even more, therefore allowing additional seeds to be extracted. Seed buyers were paying \$22 a pound for processed conifer seeds, so those additional ounces made the process worthwhile. There are nearly 22,000 white pine seeds in a pound and slightly over 18,000 red pine seeds in a pound. According to some information I have, five and a half ounces of seed was required for each seed bed.

Next time, more about the nursery, but keep in mind that as the fall colors get more intense, do not overlook the opportunity to get out and enjoy. You have an invitation to come walk the 11 miles of foot trails at North Higgins or the Marl Lake Trails at South Higgins. The scenery will be gorgeous and the time spent communing with Mother Nature should be beneficial to your well being.

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## Eisenhower Dance Ensemble at KCC

The Eisenhower Dance Ensemble, a professional contemporary dance company from Rochester, will present a full evening of modern dance compositions on Saturday, Oct. 21, at 8 p.m., in the Gilbert I. Stewart Auditorium on the campus of Kirtland Community College.

The company's ever-expanding repertoire includes works by choreographers of international recognition including Bill Evans, Mark Dendy, Shirlee Ririe, Whitley Setrakian, Douglas Neilson and Artistic Director Laurie Eisenhower. The company is known internationally for its talented, versatile dancers and exciting, diverse range of choreography.

Artistic Director Laurie Eisenhower will offer a Master's Class in modern dance technique on Saturday, Oct. 21, at 9 a.m. Registration fee for the 90-minute class is \$5, and is payable at the class. If you are planning to attend, add your name to the reservations list by calling the Kirtland Ticket Office.

The performance and Master's Class are made possible in part by a generous grant from the Michigan Council on Arts and Cultural Affairs Touring Arts Agency.

Tickets range in price from \$3 to \$10. If you require additional information, or if you would like to make reservations, contact the Kirtland Ticket Office at (517) 275-6777.



**GRAYLING MASONIC LODGE AWARDS SCHOLARSHIPS** -- Lodge #356 Worshipful Master Jim Hollingsworth presented three \$500 scholarships to local students. In the top photo, Hollingsworth presents a scholarship to Michigan State University student, Andrea Watson, the daughter of Jerry and Judy Morford. In the bottom photo, Hollingsworth is presenting Jonathon Renaud, a student at Spring Arbor and son of Bob and Nancy McLachlan, with his scholarship. Not pictured is Karen Ferguson, a Central Michigan University student and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ferguson. Karen was unable to be present for pictures.



## BITS OF TALK

By Fay Bovee

Kip and Joan Papendick returned on Sept. 29, from a 4-month trip to Alaska, Northwest Territory, Yukon Territory, British Columbia and Alberta. They drove their motor home up and back, and encountered no problems, including going through a large forest fire in B.C., and through a 5.3 earthquake in Valdez. They met friends, John and Louise Hanna of Hot Springs Village, Arkansas, in Tok, and toured with them for three weeks. They visited Homer with the Hannas, and went halibut fishing, where Louise landed a 76-pound fish and Joann landed a 100-pound fish.

One of their side trips was to fly to Unuvak and Tuktoyaktuk in Northwest Territory, where they visited an Eskimo village and waded in the Arctic Ocean. They saw a lot of wildlife, panned for gold in many places, and Kip stopped at every river they passed to do some fishing. They took the northern United States route going out, and stopped at Glacier National Park. Enroute home, they visited Marie Sorenson Howe and her family in Monroe, Washington.

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## MILITARY NEWS

Air Force Senior Master Sgt. Michael A. Hall has been decorated with the Air Force Commendation Medal.

The medal is awarded to those individuals who demonstrate outstanding achievement or meritorious service in the performance of their duties on behalf of the Air Force.

He is an electronic computer and switching systems superintendent at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio.

Hall is the son of Dewain A. and Joann D. Hall of Grayling.

The sergeant graduated in 1973, from Grayling High School, and received an associate degree in 1985, from the Community College of the Air Force.

## THANK YOU

Upon my retirement as County Clerk/Register of Deeds, I want to sincerely express my appreciation to the Elected and Appointed Officials and Employees of all Governmental Units in Crawford County for your cooperation and support during my tenure.

I also want to thank the residents of Crawford County for giving me the opportunity to serve you in this capacity. It truly was my pleasure! A big "hats off" and thank you goes to my staff for their dedication in helping me serve you. The cards and flowers I received from many of you will always be remembered and cherished.

Thanks Again!  
Beth Wieland

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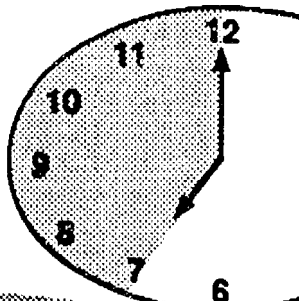
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THURS.  
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- **TRAVEL & ADVENTURE** "New Zealand Beckons" @ high school, 7:30 pm.
- **FRIENDSHIP SINGLES DANCE** @ Chief Shoppenagon's, 8 pm - ? Music by Free Wheelin' Fred.
- **TOPS** meeting @ Mercy Hospital Riverside Room, 5 pm. Call Linda @ 275-9918 for more information.
- **SUPPORT GROUP MEETING** for Fibromyalgia & Chronic Fatigue Immune Dysfunction Syndrome patients & families @ Mercy Hospital cafeteria, 7 pm. Call Laura 348-7423 for more information.
- **GBB VS. ROSCOMMON**, 6 pm.
- **FRESH GBB VS. E. JORDAN**, away, 6 pm.
- **GRAYLING ELEMENTARY PARENT INVOLVEMENT** night, 6:30 pm.
- **JV FB VS. PETOSKEY**, away, 6:30 pm.

FRI.  
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- **DEADLINE TO REGISTER** for Women's Prayer Conference set for Nov. 3-4 @ Grayling Holiday Inn. \$25 fee - call 517-275-5865 to register.
- **"CURIOUS GEORGE"** performed @ KCC, 9 am, 10:30 am, 1 pm. Call 517-275-6777 for tickets or information.
- **VAR. FB VS. PETOSKEY**, home, 7:30 pm.

SAT.  
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- **LAKE MARGRETHE PROPERTY OWNERS** Association membership meeting @ Camp Grayling Officer's Club, 9:30-11 am.
- **X-CO @ ELK RAPIDS INVITATIONAL.**
- **SWEETEST DAY.**
- **"THE EISENHOWER DANCE ENSEMBLE,"** a professional contemporary dance company performs @ KCC, 8 pm. Call 517-275-6777 for tickets.

SUN.  
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- **ATTEND THE CHURCH** of your choice today.

MON.  
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- **COA "OTL" GANG** go to Gaylord, 11:15 am. RSVP @ 348-7123.
- **KIWANIS LUNCHEON MEETING** @ 12:10 pm. Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel.
- **FRESH GBB VS. LAKE CITY**, home 6 pm.

TUES.  
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- **GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL ASSOCIATION** luncheon meeting @ noon, Iron Gate Restaurant.
- **GRAYLING UPTOWN DISTRICT ASSOCIATION** meeting @ 8 am, Stevens Family Circle.
- **X-CO @ GAYLORD INVITATIONAL.**
- **GBB VS. KALKASKA**, away, 6 pm.
- **UNITED NATIONS DAY.**

WED.  
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- **ROTARY LUNCHEON MEETING** @ Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel, 12 noon.
- **WEIGHT WATCHER'S** meeting @ St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 W., weigh-in 4:45; meeting 5:30 pm. For more information call Sandy @ 348-5321.
- **MS GBB VS. KALKASKA**, 7th home, 8th away, 5 pm.

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## Greek gods appear in Michigan's October skies

Michigan's autumn skies display five constellations representing the chief players in one of the most famous constellation myths, the rescue of Princess Andromeda by the hero Perseus.

"The tale is one of vanity and vengeance," said University of Michigan astronomer Richard Teske. "Principal characters are Perseus himself, the beautiful Andromeda and her parents, the King and Queen of Ethiopia, and a menacing sea monster who gets turned to stone. Remnants of the adventure may be seen every year during prime time, just by walking outside on a clear, starry autumn evening."

According to the early Greeks, who created the story, all the trouble started with the boastfulness of Cassiopeia, the Queen of Ethiopia, seen seated in her W-shaped chair almost directly overhead after dark.

The queen claimed that her daughter Andromeda was more beautiful than certain sea nymphs. The nymphs took this as an insult to their exceptional looks and complained to the sea god Neptune. To punish Queen Cassiopeia for her pride, Neptune sent the sea monster Cetus, a whale, to ravage the coast of Ethiopia. King Cepheus, Cassiopeia's husband and father of

Andromeda, was angered by the monster's depredations. He told Neptune to call off the monster and stop the destruction. Neptune agreed, but only if the Princess Andromeda was sacrificed to Cetus. There did not seem to be a good alternative, so the king arranged to have it done.

"Michigan sky-watchers who face north while looking upward at Cassiopeia will find King Cepheus a bit westward to her left," Teske said. "He is actually closer to the North Star and is recognized by his square face and pointed crown. Their daughter Princess Andromeda lies chained to some rocks south of Cassiopeia, woefully awaiting the hot breath of the sea monster who is coming to devour her. Most of Andromeda's constellation is a little south of the overhead point."

Just in the nick of time, the great hero Perseus arrived at the place where Andromeda was chained and rescued the tearful princess. One of the most celebrated of mythical Greek heroes, Perseus, was on his way back home from his greatest adventure, the beheading of the Gorgon Medusa, who wore snakes for hair. She was so fearsome to look at, even when dead, that anyone who saw her was turned to stone. It so happened that Perseus was carrying the head with him. He showed the severed souvenir to Cetus who froze into stone, saving the princess from death.

"For observers facing north, the

starry outlines of Perseus holding the Medusa's head can be found just to the right (east) of Cassiopeia and below. The extended lines of Andromeda's chains point directly to him," Teske added.

"Cetus the malevolent whale is not good company for our hero and royal family who cluster almost overhead in the autumn sky, so Cetus is placed in a different part of the heavens. The monster is found fairly far to the south, where many watery constellations reside. There Cetus lurks with Pisces the two fish, swimming near the River Eridanus and just east of Aquarius the water bearer. Justifiably—in view of the monster's size—the constellation Cetus is fourth largest in the heavens. But it is undistinguished by bright stars and is difficult for observers to pick out."

The five constellations in the legend are just a few of the 88 "official" constellations that populate the sky, according to Teske. Fifty of them were known to ancient Greek, Roman and Arab peoples who created their names and traditions. These 50 are all visible from land north of the equator.

Thirty-eight other constellations were "discovered" when expanding civilization began to peer at the heavens from south of the equator. Most of these constellations have names like "Telescopium," "Microscopium," and "Horologium," or Clock, names bestowed by scientists unimpressed with princesses, monsters and heroes.

## Crawford County Sheriff Department Sheriff Patrol

For the week of Oct. 9-15

The Crawford County Sheriff Department responded to 114 incidents from Monday, Oct. 9, to Sunday, Oct. 15. Of the 114 incidents, 81 were of a criminal nature.

There were six burglaries and attempted burglaries reported during the week. Deputies investigated burglaries on Pioneer Road, Timber Trail, Bald Hill Road and KP Lake Road. Seven larcenies were reported, including the larceny of food stamps from a mailbox.

A bicycle was found abandoned on the railroad tracks. It is estimated that the bike had been there for a couple of days. The owner of the bicycle has not been located.

A white male was arrested and lodged in the Crawford County Jail for obstructing a police officer.

On Wednesday, Oct. 11, a woman reported an attempted rape. The victim knew the suspect.

There were 11 incidents of family trouble. Deputies were called to remove a 16-year-old boy from his home, at the request of his parents. In another incident, a grandparent reported property damage to their home, stating that a grandson did the damage.

A hit and run of a parked vehicle was reported on Thursday, Oct. 12. The incident occurred around 9 a.m. on west M-72, near Aunt Betty's Restaurant. The run-away vehicle was described as a tan wagon with a black male driving. No one was hurt in the incident. Anyone with information can contact the sheriff department.

An electrical linesman was electrocuted. Further information about the incident was unavailable.

On Saturday, Oct. 14, around 1 p.m., deputies investigated a report of a man walking along Burtons Landing with a pistol. Upon investigation, the man was found to be a police officer from downstate.

Later on Saturday, Oct. 14, around 8 p.m., deputies were again called to investigate a man carrying a pistol at Spike's Keg O' Nails. Upon investigation, the man was found to be a police officer. The two incidents did not involve the same officer.

Deputies investigated 11 accidents, eight public-peace disturbances, three incidents of driving under the influence of liquor and two criminal sex crimes.

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## MILITARY NEWS

Navy Seaman Richard W. Leyland, son of Robert W. and Susan J. Leyland of Grayling, has returned to Mayport, Florida, from a 6-month overseas deployment aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Hue City, which included duty in the Persian Gulf near Iraq and in the Adriatic Sea near Bosnia.

Leyland is one of 400 sailors aboard the ship who completed the 30,000-mile voyage. Leyland's ship was part of the 11-ship USS Theodore Roosevelt Battle Group, which included jet fighters, attack aircraft, airborne early warning and electronic warfare aircraft, helicopters, and ships and submarines armed with Tomahawk cruise missiles.

While on the Red Sea, Leyland and fellow sailors provided anti-air protection and air surveillance for the aircraft from USS Theodore Roosevelt, which were patrolling the no-fly zone over Southern Iraq. Leyland and fellow sailors also discovered a 50-foot-long Egyptian luxury sailboat that was adrift, and returned it to Egyptian naval authorities.

After weeks in the Northern Red Sea, Leyland traveled to the Persian Gulf where the ship not only served as one of the aircraft carrier's main anti-air assets, but also hosted a reception for 250 diplomats and foreign military leaders.

Traveling back through the Suez Canal into the Mediterranean Sea, Leyland and fellow crew members received orders to proceed to the Adriatic Sea. Operating near Bosnia, USS Hue City supported the ongoing efforts of NATO and U.N. forces by keeping track of all aircraft flying over the former Yugoslavian republic and the Adriatic Sea. Using its sophisticated air-tracking radar, Leyland's ship ensured no unauthorized aircraft flew near the multinational force in the Adriatic.

While on a routine patrol in the Adriatic Sea, one of the helicopters from Leyland's ship rescued the pilot of a jet fighter that had crashed into the sea.

Leyland's ship is equipped with the same type of Tomahawk cruise missiles that were launched at Bosnian Serb military targets in support of United Nations efforts by the guided missile cruiser USS Normandy. Armed with anti-aircraft and anti-ship missiles, Leyland's ship is a formidable warship and can travel nearly 700 miles a day.

Spending 141 of 182 days at sea, Leyland also visited France, Greece, Israel, Italy, Malta and the United Arab Emirates. In Naples, Italy, sailors from Leyland's ship volunteered their free time to build a playground at an orphanage and renovated a home for the elderly. While on the island of Malta, Leyland's ship gave tours to more than 1,200 local citizens.

The 1993 graduate of Grayling High School, joined the Navy in June, 1993.

## RANGE FIRING

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:  
The Small Arms Ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline, and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin on Oct. 18 and cease on Oct. 25.

The Small Arms Ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will begin on Oct. 20 and cease on Oct. 22.

The Range 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Sherman Road, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. 197 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin on Oct. 20 and cease on Oct. 22.

The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. 197 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin on Oct. 18 through Oct. 25.

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## Churches work together to pull down denominational walls

On Saturday, Oct. 21, churches from the Grayling, Roscommon and Houghton Lake areas are joining forces to invite area residents to attend a church of their choice. More than 20 congregations will be represented in a door-to-door campaign, extending the invitation.

The unified effort is unprecedented in the area, and should demonstrate to the communities how denominational walls can be pulled down. Something of this magnitude can only be credited

to a sovereign move of God. Many area pastors have stated they have noticed a resurgence in religious interest in their areas of ministry.

Between 200 and 400 men and women from the churches involved, will be going door to door, beginning at 11 a.m. on Saturday. They will be handing out brochures listing the involved churches with their locations and service times. Those involved will not be there to preach to anyone, just invite them to a church of their choice.

## Retreat for Care of the Care Giver set

The Parish Nurses/Health Ministry of St. Michael's Catholic Church in Roscommon, will present a workshop/retreat for professional care givers on Saturday, Nov. 4, from 12 noon until 4 p.m. at St. Michael's Parish Hall.

Care giver professionals will find strategies to relieve stress and get in touch with their spiritual self, and feel good about their care giver role. It should be an uplifting experience.

This program is for the physicians, nurses, health care administrators, allied health persons, hospice/hospital volunteers, nurse aides, social workers

and EMT's.

Speakers will be Marilyn Rosebaum, RN, MS, CS., certified clinical specialist in adult psychiatric nursing, and Sr. Rosemary Mulcahy, OSM, chaplain, Mercy Hospital of Grayling.

The program will begin with a potluck luncheon. Bring a dish or snack to pass.

R.S.V.P. by Nov. 1. Call on Wednesday, Rose Gallagher at 275-5212, evenings, 275-8056, or Lucy Sell at 275-8857.

## OSHA to speak in Gaylord, Oct. 20

Representatives from the Michigan Department of Labor and the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MIOSHA) will be guest speakers on Friday, Oct. 20 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Gaylord Holiday Inn.

The Northern Michigan Chapter of Associated Builders and Contractors, Inc. is sponsoring the seminar. The seminar is open to all areas of industry and the business community subject to MIOSHA regulations. Reservations are required. For further information, contact Linda Wisley, 905 North Center Street, Gaylord, MI 49735 or call (517) 732-6211.

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# The Bible Speaks

From the Calvary Baptist Church

## Bible Experts

In this day when the Bible is under attack as never before, who do we trust to treat the Bible in an honest manner? There is one Bible expert and authority who stands above all others, our Lord Jesus Christ. He is not only the eternal author of all scripture, but is also the Word of God personified. He is called the Word of God from three perspectives:

As Lord, He is coming back to this earth as king to rule the world for a thousand years from Jerusalem. As king He will be named the sovereign ruling Word of God. "And He was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and His name is called **The Word of God.**" (Revelation 19:13). "And out of His mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it He should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and He treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. And He hath on [His] vesture

and on His thigh a name written, **KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS.**" (Revelation 19:15, 16). He has the full power of God's Word.

Our Jesus is Savior, the incarnate Word made flesh for our redemption. This was why He came to earth the first time nearly 2,000 years ago. "And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us, (and we beheld his glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father,) full of grace and truth." (John 1:14) He has the omniscient wisdom to deal with all textual critics!

Our Christ is God, the eternal Word, coequal with the Father and the Holy Spirit: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God." (John 1:1, 2).

"For there are three that bear record in heaven, the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one." (I John 5:7). This last verse is the first verse altered or denied in modern perverted Bibles. Even if the verse is

present in modern Bibles the doctrine of the trinity is either removed or the accuracy of the verse is questioned. But Christ has the eternal presence to deal with these textual critics!

As the eternal, incarnate, sovereign Word personified, our Lord Jesus Christ commands respect as our final authority regarding His Words of Holy Scripture. Before using an altered modern Bible listen to His warning: "And if any man hear my words, and believe not, I judge him not: for I came not to judge the world, but to save the world. He that rejecteth me, and receiveth unto my words, hath one that judgeth him: the word that I have spoken, the same shall judge him in the last day." (John 12:47, 48).

Pastor "B"

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## The Background of Integrity

There are millions of men in this world whose word is trusted - whose handshake is a binding contract - whose integrity others accept without question.

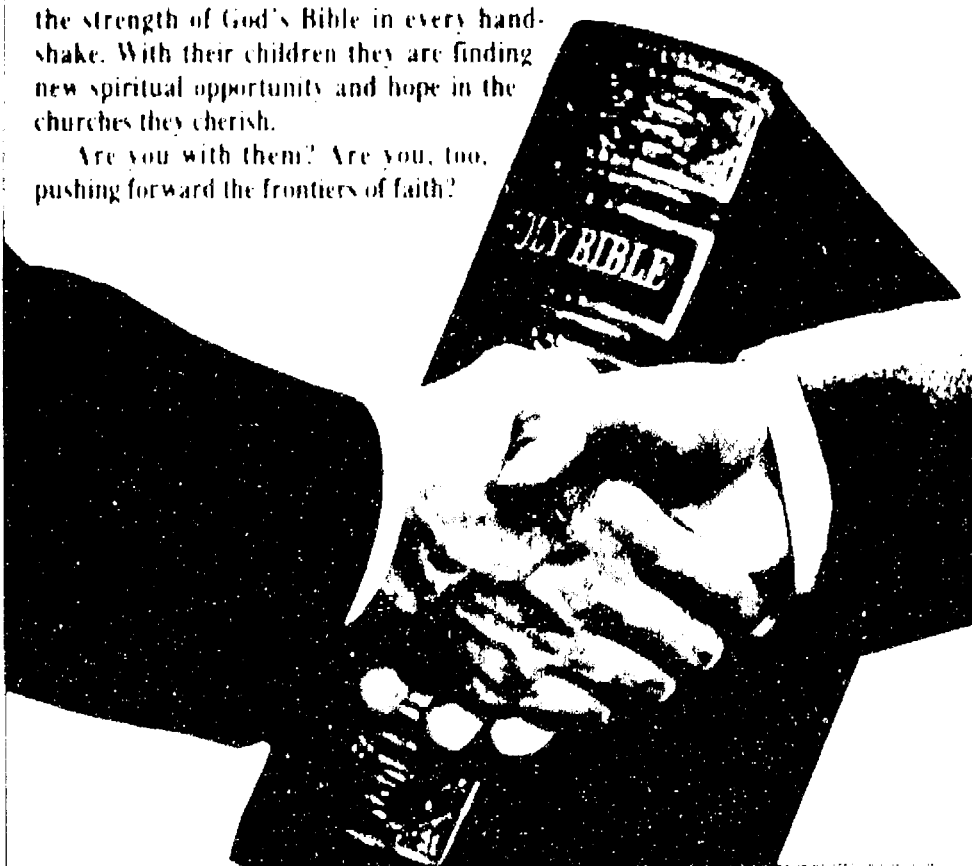
We've come a long way from the days when a strong man and a stout club were the social graces.

And this growth in man's capacity for integrity has paralleled his growth in religious expression.

Of course, the cynics will point to men and nations who still live by the code of the cave man. Must we believe that the clock of progress has turned...is running backward?

The sound, the sensible, the sincere still feel the strength of God's Bible in every handshake. With their children they are finding new spiritual opportunities and hope in the churches they cherish.

Are you with them? Are you, too, pushing forward the frontiers of faith?



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Luke 6:27-36	Luke 6:37-42	Deuteronomy 10:12-22	Deuteronomy 16:18-20	Micah 2:1-13	Micah 3:1-12	Micah 6:6-16

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**First Baptist Church Of Frederic**  
Pastor Dale Hammond  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study ..... 7 p.m.

**Christiana Science Society**  
209 First St. - Suite 103 - Gaylord  
Sunday Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
April through October  
2nd Wednesday ..... 8 p.m.

**Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church**  
Pastor J. Douglas Paterson  
400 Michigan Ave.  
348-2974  
Sunday Worship ..... 8:30 & 11 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 9:45-10:45 a.m.  
Coffee Fellowship ..... 12 noon  
Bible Study (Wed.) ..... 10 a.m.

**Seventh Day Adventist**  
Pastor David Stramel  
Phone 348-4445  
Services held Saturday at Camp AuSable off M-72 East (1st building on right inside camp entrance).  
Church Service ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Sabbath School ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting Tues ..... 7 p.m.

**Grayling Assembly of God**  
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor  
701 S. I-75 Business Loop  
Church 348-8885-Parsonage 348-2588  
Sunday School ..... 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday - Family Night  
Adult-Youth-Children ..... 7 p.m.

**Christian Science Society**  
Zone 11, 106 James St. - Houghton Lake  
Sunday Ser. & Sunday School ..... 11 a.m.  
1st Wednesday (April-Oct.) ..... 7:30 p.m.

**The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**  
President Larry A. Cook  
600 North Elm St., Gaylord  
Sacrament ..... 10 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 11 a.m.  
Primary ..... 11 a.m.  
Priesthood ..... 12 noon  
Relief Society ..... 12 noon

**Heritage Baptist**  
Pastor Jim Van Liere 348-7699  
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7 p.m.

**St. John Evangelical Lutheran (ELCA)**  
Pastor Robert Cochran  
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Bible School ..... 9:15 a.m.  
Adult Bible Study ..... 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
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**Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**  
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Church School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Preaching ..... 11 a.m.  
Midweek Service Prayer ..... 7 p.m.

**Gaylord Christian Reformed**  
Rev. V. Schaap  
415 Ohio North  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

**St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church**  
Robert W. Nalley, J.C.L., Pastor  
Lee Ann Duncley, Pastoral Associate  
702 Peninsula - 348-7657  
Sabbath Eucharist  
Saturday Vigil ..... 5 p.m.  
Sunday ..... 9 & 11 a.m.

**Daily Worship**  
Tuesday & Thursday ..... 7 p.m.  
Wednesday & Friday ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Sacrament of Reconciliation, anytime by appointment, Saturday at 4 p.m. and 1/2 hour prior to weekday masses.

**Calvary Assembly of God**  
Rev. Lawrence Cook  
250 Lake St. - Roscommon - 275-5309  
Sunday School ..... 9:45  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Family Night ..... 7 p.m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**  
Dr. Robert Barnett, Pastor  
M-72 West  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
Mid-Week Services  
Prayer & Awana Club (Wed) ..... 7 p.m.

**Church of Christ**  
Gordon French Minister  
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd.  
348-8573  
Sunday Classes & Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday Evening ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday  
Mid-week Bible Study ..... 7 p.m.

**Bear Lake Christian**  
M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.  
Sunday School ..... 9 a.m.  
Sunday Service ..... 10 a.m.

**The Church of Christ with the Bible Message**  
Pastor John E. Weaver  
7662 Kelly Ave. - Fredric  
Sunday Worship ..... 10 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 7 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service ..... 7 p.m.

**Abundant Life Tabernacle**  
Pastor Lyle Studer  
211 Shellenbarger St.  
Grayling, Mich.  
Sunday Morning ..... 10 a.m.  
Sunday Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Sunday Night ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening ..... 7 p.m.

**Grayling Baptist Church**  
Affiliated with S.B.C.  
Pastor Terry Colby  
Meeting at 501 Michigan Avenue  
(517) 348-2557  
Sunday Bible Study ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Services ..... 7 p.m.

**St. Martin's Ev. Lutheran (Wels)**  
Herbert R. Filter-Pastor  
For information call 275-5443  
Services held at the Roscommon Community Center, Sunday nights at 6:30 p.m., 510 South St., Roscommon, MI.

**Luzerne Baptist**  
Pastor James Duffee  
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Sunday Evening Worship ..... 6 p.m.  
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# International Credit Union Week/October 16-20, 1995

## Bank or credit union: what's best for you?

Each October, credit unions all around the world celebrate International Credit Union Week. What's all the fuss? After all, isn't a credit union just like a bank?

In short, the answer is no. Last year alone, over 90,000 people in Michigan joined a credit union for the first time. At the end of last year, more than 3.8 million Michigan citizens (more than 40 percent of the state's entire population) were credit union members. Why? The quick

answer is that credit unions are—for most people, most of the time—a better deal than banks.

Is there really any difference among financial institutions? Consumer groups, such as the Consumer Federation of America, have for years been advising consumers to join a credit union. A recent study on bank and credit union fees done by the Public Interest Research Group (PIRG) starkly demonstrates some of the differences between credit unions and

banks.

The contrast in the PIRG study of fees for a range of services is quite striking. Need to stop payment on a check? The average fee at a bank is \$13.57 while credit unions charge \$8.01. Covering an overdraft check? The average bank fee is \$14.43, while the average credit union charges \$5.52. "No fee" checking? The bank average is a \$2.94 monthly charge with nine free checks and then 20¢ per check. The credit union average is 27¢

monthly charge with 19 free checks, and then 1¢ per check. Some difference.

"The bankers still have their hands buried deep in our wallets," stated Ed Mierzewski, director of the PIRG Consumer Program. "Consumer bank fee increases once again defined gravity, rising at twice the inflation rate from 1993 to 1995." Mierzewski cited the rising cost of an interest-bearing NOW checking account. In 1990, a consumer had to leave a \$135

balance in his interest-earning NOW checking account to cover fees. By 1993, that had risen to \$725. By mid-year 1995, the required balance had reached \$1,123.

Then there are the rates for savings and loans. According to June 1995 figures, banks charged 9.56 percent for new car loans, while credit unions charged 8.49 percent. Banks charged 18.21 percent for credit card loans, and credit unions charged 13.14 percent. For savings, banks paid 4.92 on a 1-year certificate, and credit unions paid 5.97 percent. The numbers go on and on in that fashion. It is no surprise that educated consumers often chose credit unions as their primary financial institution.

The reason for this difference lies in the different structures and purposes of banks and credit unions. Banks are businesses created to make money

from their customers and give it to their stockholders. Credit unions are member-owned financial

cooperatives, which exist to provide services. Any money earned beyond the cost of operation, just goes back to the members, usually through lower interest rates on loans, higher interest rates on savings, or lower service charges.

There are times for banks, of course. Credit unions serve individuals, but most don't serve businesses. If you are a corporation seeking a line of credit, a business wanting a loan to build inventory or developer seeking a few million to construct a new subdivision, credit unions won't be much help. If, however, you just want a car loan, a checking account, an ATM card or other individual services, you might want to look into a credit union.

### The value of membership

More than 67.4 million people belong to over 12,000 credit unions in America. As members, they are owners of not-for-profit cooperatives. For over 10 years, the American Banker survey of consumers has shown credit union members more satisfied with their financial services, than bank customers.

Because credit unions are cooperatives, they are owned and managed by their members, according to Ken Bixby, president and chief executive officer of the Michigan Credit Union League, the trade association for almost 500 Michigan credit unions. There are no "stockholders." Credit unions are not banks. They are different from all other institutions. They pay good dividends, and at the same time extend credit more freely—because they know their borrowers—often at lower cost than any other source of consumer financing.

Members make the credit union succeed. Hundreds of thousands of members play an active role in credit unions as volunteers. They serve on a voluntary basis by giving their time to meet the needs and requirements of their fellow members, not to make money off them. Credit unions are for everyone. As owners, members can accomplish solid and significant results that can affect the lives of every member of the group.

#### Who owns the credit union?

The members do. Once they deposit money in the credit union, they become a member and a shareholder. Eligible members can then vote for the credit union's board of directors on a 1-member, 1-vote basis. Officers and directors are chosen from the

membership and serve on a voluntary basis. And once a member, you're not only a member of the credit union, but part of a national financial system. The credit union does not stand alone. It is joined by some 88 million members of 12,500 credit unions throughout the United States, and 37,000 credit unions throughout 87 countries.

#### Services available

A wide range of services are available in many credit unions. Credit union savings help people meet their financial goals, and credit union checking accounts often earn interest. They often have low or no service fees or minimum balances. And members' savings accounts are insured up to \$100,000 by the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund (NCUSIF), which has never had to take a penny of taxpayers' money. Many credit unions offer many services including credit cards, home mortgages, loans of all types, and automatic payroll deduction for loan payments, checking and savings deposits.

#### Who can join a credit union?

While credit unions are for everyone, not all credit unions are for everyone. Most are associated with the work place, but others are affiliated with professional, civic, fraternal or cooperative groups, with churches, or with labor unions. How can you find a credit union? Check with the personnel department where you work, or with your church, professional organization, or labor union. You can also call the Michigan Credit Union League at 1-800-474-JOIN. And once a member, you're a member for life, even if you move or change jobs.

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# GHS ALUMNI NEWS

One hundred eighty-three persons were in attendance at the annual GHS Alumni Dinner at the Holiday Inn on Saturday, Sept. 30. President Pro-Tem Pauline Millikin Hatfield '62, bid welcome to the group, introducing our board members and directors. We stood and sang *God Bless America*. Patricia Stephan Fowler '51, gave the invocation before the buffet dinner service at 7 a.m. Around 8 p.m., the program started with the introduction of our honor guest, Dr. Hans A. Andrews '56. He was an enthusiastic speaker, who told us of his ties to Grayling. He said Earl Gierke '28, his business teacher in high school, was a great influence. He gave credit to his mother, Grace Nelson Andrews '24, who provided a loving family. Hans visited with a number of friends and classmates during the evening. He received an honor plaque from the GHS Alumni Association as recognition of his dedication to education.

Introduction of anniversary classes as follows: Class of 1920, 75th anniversary, Norma Johnson Madill, our oldest known Alumna received a bouquet of pink carnations; Class of 1930, 65th anniversary, Tressa Vallad Stephan Fenton; Class of 1935, 60th anniversary, Clara Atkinson Sorenson, Jean Peterson Gothro, Ken Hoelsi and spouse; Class of 1940, 55th anniversary, Ruth Sherbonda Vaern, Caroline (Pat) McKenna Hayes, Bill Babbitt, Mary Jane Joseph Knibbs, Floyd McClain, Jean Brady McClain, Bill Bolinger, Ruth Burrows Moore, Bob Herbison, Virginia Peterson Martin, Esbern Olson and spouses.

Golden Anniversary Class of 1945, Barbara Borchers Sojka, Mike Brady, Evelyn Weiss Stephan, Bennie Allen, Betty Smith Allen, Lois Berry Kesteloot, Marcella Wolf Stephan, Mary Howell Ferguson, Dick Dawson, Edwin Owens and spouses. With this class were three guests, Charles Gierke, Joye Wells Mathews and Jack Barber, all former classmates; Class of 1950, 45th anniversary, Beatrice Schreiber Hildebrand, Clara Lazarwicz Jekel, Jackie Blackmer Hatfield and spouses; 1955, 40th anniversary, Judy Munste

Keway, Emil Niederer, Dorothy Millikin Walker, Patricia Thompson Failing, Don Denton, Sandra Newell Hose, Marilyn Skinner Brady and spouses; 1960, 35th anniversary, Sharon LaGrow Harrison, Sharon Renaud Nelson.

There were family members who came to be with one of their own observing an anniversary. With Sharon Harrison, her mother, Lois Sorenson LaGrow '33, sister Sue LaGrow Canfield '54, Clara had her daughter, Nancy Cox '54, and grandson Jamie Cox '78. Ruth Moore had her sister, Wilma LaGrow '33, Betty Allen had her mother Bernice McNeven Smith '24.

There were some families seated together who came to be with one of their own. With Hans, his wife, Carolyn, uncle Earl '22, aunt Alice, their sons Robert '43, Richard '46, Barbara, Roger '58, Sharon '60. With Norma Johnson Madill, her daughters, Margaret Partello, Joan Kaiser '48, and Diane Thomas, her son Jim and children, Lori '79, with husband Dean Smith '78, Lewis '77, and wife, Kris, Merry Perry Stillwagon Meredith '64. With

Tressa Vallad Stephan Fenton, her daughter Pat Fowler, granddaughter, Gail Fowler Ney '73. Brady family with Mike '45, and Jean '40, brothers, Bob '49, Francis '29, Jerome '36, sisters, Monica Weideman '43, Sally Tobin '47, and spouses. Evelyn Stephan had her two sisters, Norberta Sawyer '38, and Ann Hamlin '43.

Teachers from our system who were with us were Bob Bovee, Fay Christenson Bovee '42, Ruth Moore, Mary Jane Knibbs, Jean Gothro, Beatrice Peterson Rowland '38, Carl Hatfield '54, Katherine Funck and Pat Failing. There were two Peterson girls with reunions and the third sister in attendance. It would be great to name everyone at the dinner, but your turn will come another time. You are all very special to us.

To close the program, we sang a school song, *Grayling Will Shine Tonight*, then danced to the music furnished by the Two Wise Guys, Thane Doremire '82 and Dan Beckwith.

We will now begin plans for 1996, with another list of reunions, 1921-1991.

## Grayling Masons give scholarships

Once again, Grayling Lodge #356 F&AM is giving scholarships to deserving students who have completed at least one year of college. The scholarships will be for the 1996-97 school year.

Grayling Lodge will be giving scholarships of up to \$2,000. Participants do not have to have any ties to Masonry, and can be either male or female.

For applications, write to Grayling Lodge #356 F&AM, P.O. Box 207, Grayling, Michigan 49738. These applications must be completed and returned to the above address by Dec. 31, 1995.

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## INFERTILITY CHOICES

*An informal discussion about current technology available for treating male and female infertility.*

PRESENTED BY: Dr. Donald Eward, M.D., F.A.C.O.G.  
West Michigan Reproductive Institute

WHEN: Thursday, October 19, 1995  
7 - 9 pm

WHERE: Holiday Inn  
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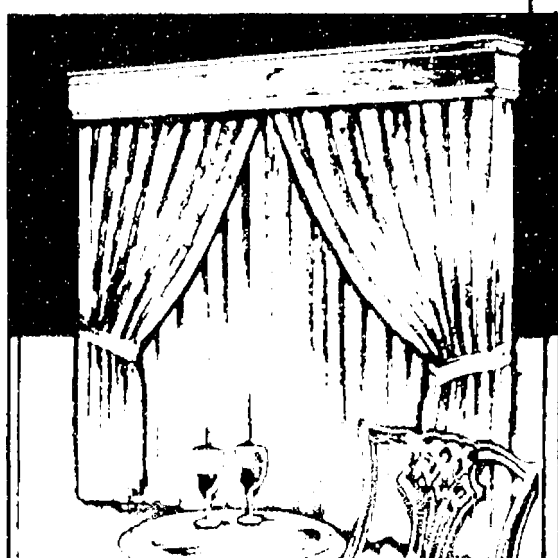
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Curious George, the little monkey brought to life from the pages of H. A. and Margret E. Rey's delightful books, is loveable and well meaning, but his curiosity leads him to wreak havoc wherever he goes. When George's friend and roommate, the Man in the Yellow Hat, introduces George to his new girlfriend, Marie, sparks fly. Fearful that there is not enough room for both of them in the Man's heart, George runs away. He finds the world

a strange and wonderful place, but his adventures at a pasta restaurant, and with the many people he meets—housepainters, rocket scientists, and doctors—land him in plenty of hot water.

George unwittingly finds himself part of an experiment as the monkey hurtling towards Mars in a space capsule. Will he make it back? Will he

be reunited with the Man in the Yellow Hat? Will he make a complete mess of things—or save the day?

Curious George, a good little monkey who is just too curious for his own good, literally somersaults through hilarious escapades. With a lively musical score, and the colorful characters who step right out of the book, Curious George will appeal to children and adults alike.

Tickets for the performance are \$3 each, adult or child. Reservations are highly recommended. If you require any additional information, or if you would like to make a reservation, contact the Kirtland Ticket Office at (517) 275-6777.

## Volunteers needed at Kirtland

The Volunteer Center of Kirtland Community College is seeking volunteers to fill more than 30 different kinds of volunteer jobs in scores of public and private agencies in Crawford, Ogemaw, Oscoda and Roscommon counties.

The Volunteer Center, sponsored by the United Ways of Crawford, Ogemaw and Roscommon counties, and other area organizations, serves as a clearinghouse for volunteers and operates as part of a local, state and

national network which encourages and enables persons from all walks of life and age groups, to perform constructive volunteer services.

"Basically we try to match people who want to volunteer their services with the agencies and organizations who need them," said Allison Goshorn, Kirtland's Community Services director, who also directs the Volunteer Center. The referrals are made based on volunteers' skills, interests, geographical area and schedule availability.

We recruit and refer volunteers, provide a resource directory of volunteers and agencies, deliver training programs, survey agency needs, and promote the idea of volunteerism," said Goshorn, "and it's a never-ending job, because there are so many opportunities for volunteers and so many organizations."

The Volunteer Center is a member of the statewide Volunteer Centers of Michigan, and is headquartered at Continuing Education Center on the Kirtland campus.

Anyone wishing to work as a volunteer should contact Goshorn at the Volunteer Center at (517) 275-5121, ext. 335 or 220.

## Mega Memory course at KCC re-scheduled

Kirtland Community College has re-scheduled its Mega Memory course. Originally set to begin in late September, the 4-week course is now scheduled for Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 4:30 - 6:30 p.m., beginning Oct. 24 and ending Nov. 16.

Mega Memory is a short course to help you access your innate photographic memory. Former students report and increased ability to remember complicated course material as well as practical information such as names, phone numbers and "to-do" lists.

The course will meet in room no. 5 in the academic building on the Kirtland campus. Gene Warren is the instructor.

Course topics include exercises to stimulate your thinking process, how diet affects learning and memory, techniques to remember names, addresses, text book information, and foreign languages.

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## Bike-A-Thon rescheduled

The St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon has been rescheduled due to the inclement weather last Sunday.

The rain last Sunday made it impossible to ride. The event has been rescheduled for Sunday, Oct. 22 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Coordinator Jillian Poll said if it rains, the event will be cancelled and will not be rescheduled.

In the event that it is rained out, Poll

asks that sponsors still contribute donations to the cause.

Riders in the Bike-A-Thon need to turn in donations by Thursday, Oct. 26. Donations can be dropped off at 608 Spruce Street after 6 p.m. Or you can call Jillian Poll at 348-7085. Prizes will still be handed out for the most money earned.

"I really appreciate all your hard work," said Poll, "and so does St. Jude's."

## Mallette art exhibit opens at KCC

The work of St. Helen artist Perry Mallette is currently on display in the gallery of the Continuing Education Center on the Kirtland Community College campus. The exhibit, "Perry's Doodlings," will remain open to the public daily from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. through Friday, Oct. 20.

A public reception is scheduled at the center from 4 to 6 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18, sponsored by the Kirtland's art department. Refreshments will be served and visitors will have an opportunity to meet with the artist, Kirtland art students, faculty members and administrators.

After graduation from high school in northwest Detroit, and three years in the U. S. Marine Corps, Mallette received degrees in Special Education and participated in the graduate theater program at Wayne State University.

Following a professional career in

teaching in the Detroit area, including work in that city's Lafayette Clinic, Mallette founded and became producer/director of the Trumbull Theater. The Trumbull, an alternative house "a mile north of Tiger Stadium," was, during its 12-year history, the site of a spectrum of original performing arts.

Mallette lives in St. Helen and has attended art classes at Kirtland during the past two semesters. Regarding his work exhibited at Kirtland's Art Gallery through October, Mallette stated "It's total anarchistic. If a figure or idea happens, it's chance. It is, after all, doodling. This is the kind of irresponsibility I can really sink my teeth into."

For additional information about the exhibit and the Oct. 18 reception, contact Joe Donna, (517) 275-5121, ext. 226.

## MILITARY NEWS

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Jason E. Thayer, son of Jan E. Thayer of Grayling, recently returned to Earle, New Jersey, after completing a 6-month overseas deployment aboard the fast combat support ship USS Seattle, which included duty in the Adriatic Sea near Bosnia-Herzegovina and in the Persian Gulf near Iraq.

Thayer is one of 621 sailors aboard the ship, who completed the more than 36,000-mile voyage. Thayer's ship served as part of the formidable 11-ship USS Theodore Roosevelt Battle Group, which included jet fighters, airborne early warning and electronic warfare aircraft, attack aircraft, helicopters, and ships and submarines armed with Tomahawk cruise missiles.

While in the Persian Gulf, Thayer and fellow shipmates supported and supplied fuel to ships enforcing the no-fly zone over Southern Iraq and deterring Iraqi aggression on the Arabian peninsula.

During the deployment, Thayer's ship transferred more than 15 million gallons of fuel to 128 U.S. Navy ships, as well as Navy ships from Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands and the United Kingdom. The refueling operations took place while traveling side-by-side to other ships. Helicopters from Thayer's ship also flew 49 missions delivering nearly 100,000 tons of food, ammunition, supplies and mail.

While spending 147 days at sea, Thayer also visited Bahrain, Crete, France, Greece, Israel, Italy, Sicily and Spain. In Chania, Crete, sailors from Thayer's ship volunteered their free time to paint a monastery and children's home.

Thayer's involvement in this deployment reflects the Navy-Marine Corps team's unique capability of being able to conduct air, ground and logistics operations supported entirely by ships at sea—a critical option in regions where access to land bases is limited or does not exist.

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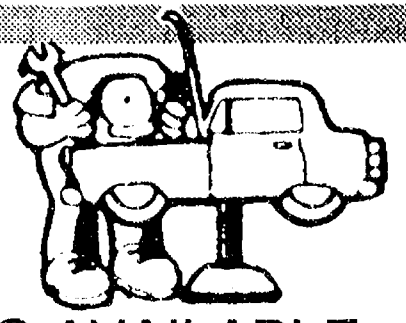
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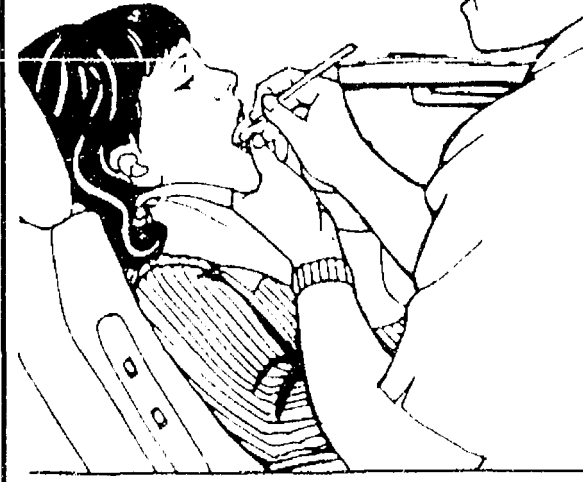
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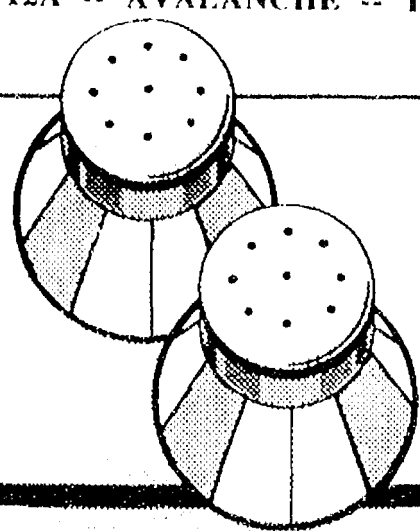
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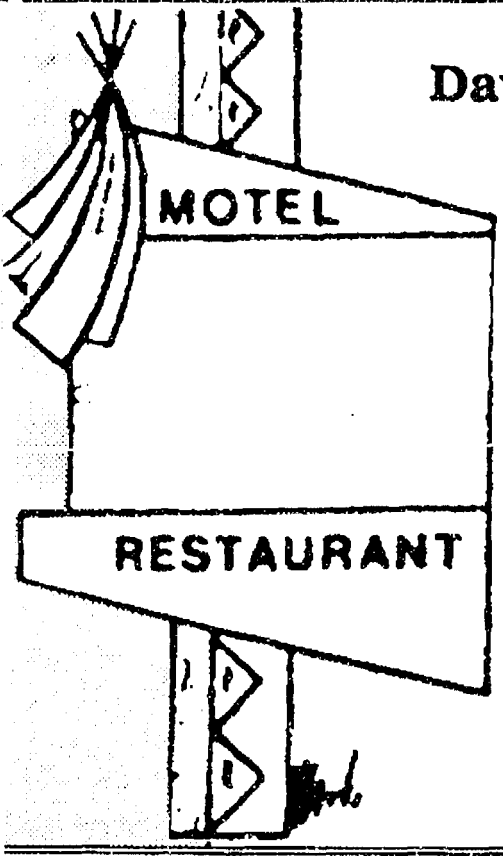
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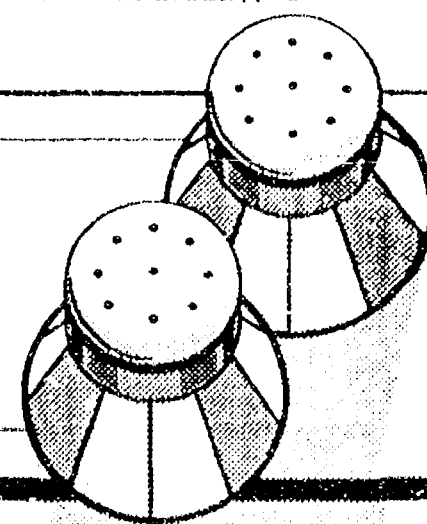
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3. Fill out rest of entry form this way including your three tie-breaker predictions (total points scored by both teams).
4. Return the entry form by 5 p.m. Friday to the Avalanche. Mail slot in our door may be used Wednesday or Thursday night after 5 p.m. and before 9 a.m. Mail entries must be postmarked Friday or earlier. No late entries accepted. No exceptions.
5. The person with the most correct picks wins all the weekly prizes listed.

### To win the overall prizes:

1. Each time you turn in an entry form you'll receive points for your correct picks. Most games will be worth one point. (All games for week 1 are worth one point each.) Later in the season, certain games will be designated as bonus point games worth more than one point. The biggest bonus point game will be at the last week of the contest.
2. You don't have to enter each week to be eligible to win but if you play each week, you'll have more chances to win points.
3. The person with the most points at the end of the football contest will win all the overall prizes.

For the winners of last week's game, see page 4B

### Weekly Prizes

- \*Sports cap from Scheer Motors
- \*Mystery gift from Sylvester's
- \*\$10 gift certificate from Grayling Glen's Market
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- \*\$25 gift certificate from Mac's Drugs
- \*Dinner for two from Breakers Steak House & Lounge
- \*\$10 gift certificate from Grayling Glen's Market
- \*\$25 gift certificate from Grayling Red Barn
- \*Free lube, oil & filter from Don Nester
- \*\$50 off any purchase from Abel Auto Parts
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# NOTES NORTHERN

Section II: Crawford County Avalanche

## New weapon system to test fire at Camp Grayling

*For the first time ever in Michigan, a Guard unit will fire the Multiple Launch Rocket System*

Members of the Michigan Army National Guard First Battalion, 182nd Field Artillery Regiment from Lansing, Detroit and Bay City, are currently scheduled to fire Multiple Launch Rocket System (MLRS) practice projectiles for the first time at Camp Grayling on Saturday, Oct. 28, between 12 noon and 6 p.m.

The exercise is being conducted as a test, to gather data relating to potential long-term environmental impacts of this weapon system. During public review of the Draft Environmental Assessment for fielding the MLRS, concerns were raised regarding potential accumulation of certain exhaust components. This test will include soil sampling prior to, and after the event, to determine the significance of this concern.

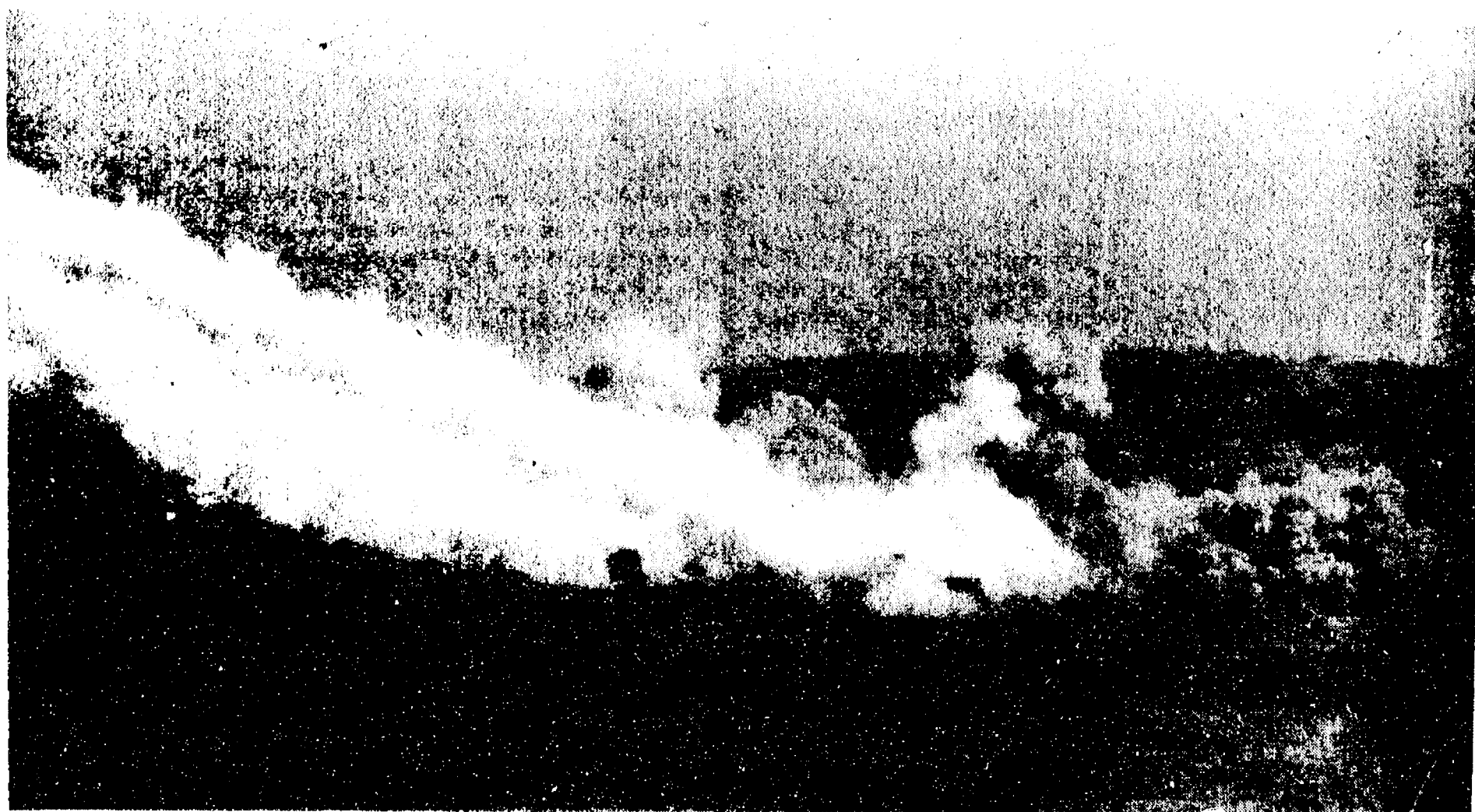
Samples will be gathered and analyzed according to a sampling protocol approved by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources. The results of the soil testing will be included in a draft supplement to the Environmental Assessment, and made available for public comment, to determine if future firing is to be considered.

Unit members from the 1-182 Field Artillery Battalion have been training on this sophisticated weapon system since 1993. It was at that time the battalion converted from cannon artillery to the modern rocket system, used so effectively in Operation Desert Storm.

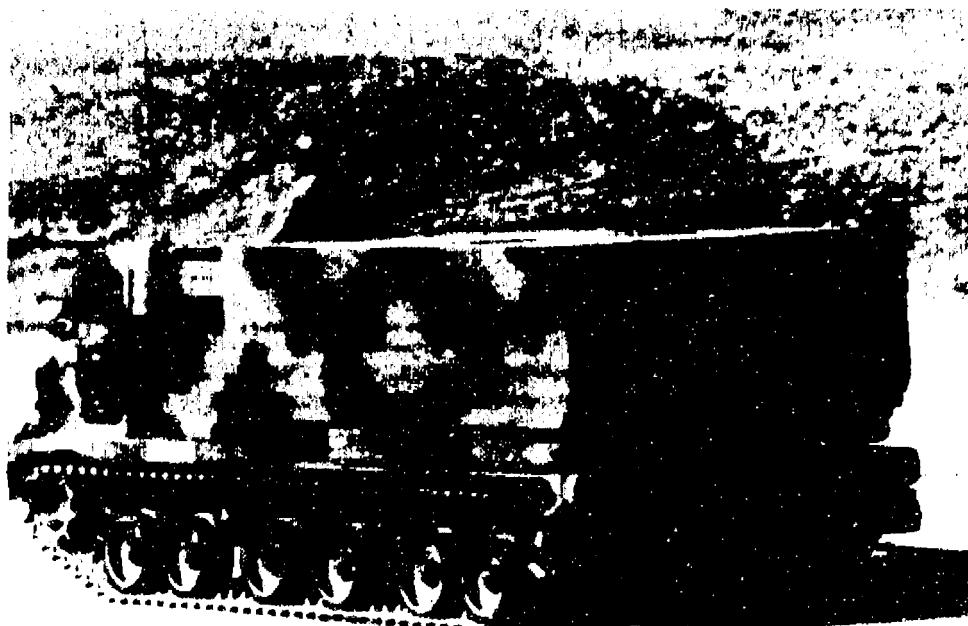
Prior to their conversion, the battalion was annually allocated 1,800 rounds of live ammunition. Their new MLRS mission calls for an allotment of less than 100 practice rounds per year, significantly reducing the number of noise events in the training area.

Safety precautions, prior to firing the inert, practice rocket projectiles will be observed, which include a barrier plan and manned roadblocks on roads crossing through the Range 30 Complex, bordered on the south by North Down River Road, and on the north by County Road 612. The western border of the range roughly parallels Jones Lake Road, and the eastern border parallels Bald Hill Road. Range flyovers will be conducted to help make sure the range is clear.

Sunday, Oct. 29, will act as an alternate exercise date in the event of inclement weather on Saturday.



**STREAKING TOWARD THE TARGET**--Dozens of rockets, hidden by a trail of smoke and dust, head for targets miles away in a recent MLRS launch at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. The first ever launch of the Multiple Launch Rocket System in Michigan will take place at Camp Grayling on Saturday, Oct. 28.



**THE MLRS VEHICLE**--Each tracked MLRS delivery vehicle contains two canisters of six rockets. Once the rockets are launched a supply vehicle which accompanies each MLRS unit can reload two more canisters very quickly. Members of the Michigan First Battalion, 182nd Field Artillery Regiment have been training with MLRS vehicles for more than a year at Camp Grayling.

## Karen Ross joins GMS language/humanities team

By Nancy Lemmen

Long-time Grayling resident Karen Ross was hired as a 7th-8th grade language arts and 6th, 7th and 8th grade humanities instructor at Grayling Middle School.

Ross is known throughout the community for her musical abilities. She has been the music director for St. Francis Episcopal Church, has taught private piano and flute classes and often volunteers her services for local events.

She studied at State University of New York at Potsdam, Kirtland Community College and Central Michigan University.

She graduated magna cum laude with a bachelor of music education degree from CMU, where her major was choral music and her

minors were instrumental music and English.

She received the Ida Lou Schulz Music Education Scholarship from CMU for the 1994-95 school year.

Ross and her husband Dave have three daughters -- Melanie, a sophomore at CMU; Gretchen, a GHS junior; and Heather, a GHS freshman.

In addition to her responsibilities at school, Ross continues in her roles as St. Francis' music director, accompanist for the GHS band's solo and ensemble festival and accompanist for the GHS choir.

She also enjoys reading and sewing.

"This is a great school district," said Ross. "I've seen my children excel here. I also am delighted to be able to stay in my own town."



**NEW GMS INSTRUCTOR**--Karen Ross, language arts and humanities teacher at the middle school, hands back assignments to students in her 6th hour 7th grade English class. (Nancy Lemmen Photo)

### Michigan Department of Corrections Current Prison Population Lifers

	Count
First Degree Murder	2,045
Second Degree Murder	664
Criminal Sexual Conduct, First Degree	250
Robbery Armed	219
Drugs, Mft, Del. Poss, or Prescrib	157
Assault with Intent to Commit Murder	113
Kidnapping	54
Possess of Controlled Dangerous Substance	38
Assault with Intent to Rob & Steal Armed	27
Criminal Sexual Conduct	21
Robbery, Bank and/or Safe	6
Assault with Intent Great Bodily Harm Less Murder	5
Attempt to Murder	5
Break & Enter	4
Conspiracy	3
Prisoner Taking a Hostage	3
Solicit to Murder or Other Felony	2
Robbery Unarmed (Habitual)	2
Violation of Drug Law-Second Offense	1
Sexually Delinquent	1
Possession of Burglars Tool (Habitual)	1
Break, Escape & Attempt to Break, Escape Prison	1
Use Explosives with Intent to Destroy/Injure	1
Carry Weapon with Unlawful Intent (Habitual)	1
Possession of Dangerous Weapon (Habitual)	1
First Degree Murder-Premeditated	1
Enticing Away Child Under 14 Years	1
Larceny (Habitual)	1
Stalking-Aggravated	1
Motor Vehicle Unlawful Driving Away (Habitual)	1
Criminal Sexual Conduct, Second Degree	1
Criminal Sexual Conduct, Third Degree	1
Assault with Intent Commit Criminal Sexual Conduct	1
Carjacking	1
Receiving Stolen Property (Habitual)	1
Burning Dwelling House	1
Weapons, Prohibit Furnish in Prison	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,637</b>

Courtesy of Michigan State Representative  
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## COMMUNITY SPORTS

### Redskins-Northern Conference Champions

**HEADED FOR THE SUPER-BOWL**--A convincing 28-0 whaloping of the Johannesburg Oilers has put the Grayling Redskins JV #2 team at the top of the pack in the SAM Northern Football Conference and sent them into the annual Super Bowl showdown with the Pinconning team on Saturday, Oct. 21.

The victory over Johannesburg capped a perfect 7-0 season for the Redskins.

Read about the Redskins on page 3B of this issue of the Avalanche.





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## Vike gridders take 14-12 victory at Onaway

By Terry Wright  
News Editor

After a sound 42-0 thrashing by the potential state champion Whittemore-Prescott Cardinals on Friday, Oct. 6, the Vikings roared back with a 14-12 victory at Onaway on Friday, Oct. 13. Whittemore-Prescott entered the game rated second in the state in Class-C.

The Whittemore team was led by senior Tom Tyson who used the Vikings to set a state career scoring record (554 points) and a state single season scoring record (282 points). Tyson ended the game scoring 26 points on four touchdowns and a 2-point conversion.

Viking coach Rodney Patterson said, "Tyson is a very physical runner with deceptive speed. He is a legitimate Division II college player."

Patterson said the Vikings' record and scores this season are not a good indicator of how well the team has played. He said any team that plays the state's #2 team (Whittemore-Prescott), #3 team (Rogers City), and #9 team (Lincoln-Alcona), plus Class-A schools like Gaylord and Petoskey, are in for a rough season.

"Against Whittemore, we played about as well as we could," Patterson said. "They are just a very talented team."

At Onaway, the teams were much more evenly matched.

"We put a whole game together, the first half we played good defense and the second half we played good

## Holiday Inn Viking of the week



### Football

**R. Schlehuber**

Viking senior Ryan Schlehuber put it together in leading his team to a 14-12 victory over Onaway. Ryan rushed for 149 yards.

offense," Patterson said. "Now we need to play an entire game of good defense and an entire game of good offense."

Senior Viking running back Ryan Schlehuber had a great night for the Vikings chewing up 149 yards on only seven carries. Schlehuber scored both the Viking touchdowns. Schlehuber received his coaches nod as "Viking of the Week."

Senior Andy Perrin added 58 yards on 13 carries. Senior quarterback Joe Godlewski completed 1-of-5 passes

for 10 yards.

Patterson said much of the credit for the victory should go to his coaches who saw a weakness in the Onaway defense. "We made a blocking adjustment at halftime which enabled us to move the ball better," Patterson said.

Defensively, Viking tacklers were outstanding. Senior Dale Kniss led the effort with 10 solo tackles, followed by senior Jason Hatfield and junior Jason Hall who contributed eight apiece. Seniors Jason Thompson, John Hilyard and junior David Sabin each had seven solo tackles. Senior Chris Kucharek intercepted an Onaway pass and senior Josh Larson recovered an Onaway fumble.

Perrin was awarded the "Big Stick Award" for his tough, hard-hitting play on defense.

Senior Scott Hartman continued a great season of punting averaging 33 yards on six punts, including a boomer of 62 yards.

On Friday, Oct. 20, the Vikings entertain the Northmen of Petoskey in the Vikings' annual "Parents' Night" game. It will mark the final game of the season on the home turf at the Booster Club field at the Crawford County Fairgrounds.

"We want to play well at home for the last game," Patterson said.

The opening kickoff of the 1996 home season will see the Vikings in their new 2,000-plus seating capacity football complex at the high school.

## Grayling junior Vikes still winning--6 and 1

JV football Vikings continue to play good football and improved their record with impressive team work. The Onaway Cardinals came to Grayling on Thursday, Oct. 12, and played good defense, to hold the Vikings to just two points in the first half. Brad Ritter tackled the Onaway punter in the end zone, and the halftime score was Grayling 2, Onaway 0.

In the second half, Grayling's offense started clicking. Nate Beck with hit Ritter for a 45-yard touchdown. Tim Wikdlong kicked the extra point and the score was 9-0. Grayling's defense played tough with outstanding play from Ritter, Joe Woldan and Brian

Deitz, and Grayling found it's way to the Onaway 13-yard line where Beck with passed to Mike Hartland for another touchdown.

Woldan added a final touchdown, when he ran back an interception and Wikdlong kicked the PAT. Onaway engineered a drive, with under two minutes left, for their only points. Final score: Grayling 22-Onaway 8.

Coach Pummel commended Scott Grounds for his excellent kicking all year. In the previous two games, Grounds has created two turnovers on the kick-off. The next game is at Petoskey, Oct. 19, at 6:30 p.m.

## FOOTNOTES FROM THE HILLS

Grayling Recreation Authority News

By Cindy Olson

### Fifth Annual Spookfest

Halloween Night, Oct. 31, 5:30-8 p.m. Games, gifts, costume contest and haunted hayrides! Free admission and everyone is welcome! Hayrides from 6-7:30 p.m. @ 50¢

### Fall Family Fun Night

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**TOILET BOWL CHAMPS** — "The Outer Rimits" won the honor of Toilet Bowl Champs at the 1995 Gus Macker tournament at Oakland University. Making up "The Outer Rimits" are (L to R) Levi Burkett, Kyle Langseth, Chris Youngblood and Max Schreiner.

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## Hoopsters win pair at Elk Rapids, Onaway

The Grayling Viking girls' basketball team traveled to Onaway on Thursday, Oct. 12, dealing the Cardinals a home court defeat by a 40-24 score. Two days prior the Vikings had beaten the Elks of Elk Rapids, 61-40.

The wins leave the Vikings with a 9-4 overall record and a record of 4-1 in conference play.

At Onaway, seniors Amy Neal and Miggon Andersen led the scoring attack with 13 and 11 points respectively. Andersen also pulled down seven rebounds. Senior Brooke Blaauw contributed five assists.

Despite the win coach Tom Mills was not pleased with the team's performance saying the girls did not play with the intensity and focus they should have had.

Mills named senior Monica Lawrence as his "Viking of the Week." "Monica has been coming off the bench real well," he said. "She has added a spark to the team on both offense and defense."

Mills said one of the goals he had set for the game was to have every Viking score. Although that didn't happen, every member of the team did get a chance to play and contribute to the win.

The Vikings will host the Roscommon Bucks on Thursday, Oct. 19 in a rival rematch. The Bucks took the first game from the Vikings early

in the season and have been playing good basketball all year.

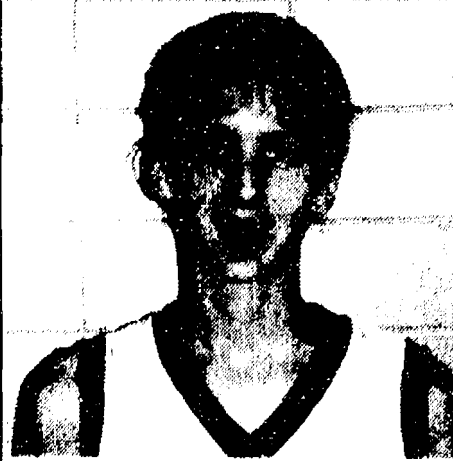
"Roscommon is one of the better teams we will play this year," Mills

said. "This game will give us an indication of how we compare to some of the better teams. It will be a big game."



**THAT'S MY BALL.**--Viking senior Miggon Andersen fights off an Elk Rapids opponent for sole possession of the basketball. The Vikings went on to defeat the Elks by a 61-40 score.

### Holiday Inn Viking of the week



### Basketball Monica Lawrence

Viking senior Monica Lawrence has provided a spark for her 9-4 team by becoming an offensive and defensive threat.

## Grayling Redskins JV #2 are conference champs

On Oct. 14, during a cold, wind-swept Saturday afternoon, over 200 Grayling Redskins players, cheerleaders and fans traveled to Johannesburg to see the Redskins JV #2 football team beat the Johannesburg Oilers, 28-0, for the Northern Conference championship in the SAM Football League. The victory climaxed a perfect 7-0 regular season for the young Redskins, and vaulted them into the Super Bowl showdown on Oct. 21, at 12 noon, in Johannesburg, against Pinconning, the Southern Conference champions.

As they had done all season, the Redskins defense dominated the opposition, and set the tone for the victory. Defensive Coordinator Larry Baynham remarked that the defense has yet to be scored on this season and cited nose guard Chris Peters as the leader.

Baynham also felt that defensive ends, T. J. Rankin and David Golnick, helped contain the outside running of the Johannesburg offense, and defensive backs, Cameron McClain, Ryan Mahaffey, Nick D'Amour and Matt Kersey, took away the passing game of the Oilers. Golnick prevented the Oilers' lone scoring chance by running down a Jo-Berg back on a 60-yard run.

Late in the game's first quarter, the Redskins struck paydirt on a 9-yard scamper by McClain, the league's leading scorer with 11 touchdowns. Mike D'Amour added his third point-after kick of the year, to put the Redskins up 8-0. The next two

Redskins' scores came later in the second quarter, when quarterback R. J. Schmidt led a long drive, which he capped off with a 2-yard touchdown run.

With only seconds remaining before halftime, Mahaffey intercepted an Oiler pass and returned the ball for a score. D'Amour again added the point-after kick, and the Redskins had a 22-0 halftime lead.

At halftime, Grayling Viking Head Coach Rodney Patterson, traveling himself to Johannesburg, following a big win against Onaway, gave the young Redskins an inspirational speech to keep the team focused for the second half.

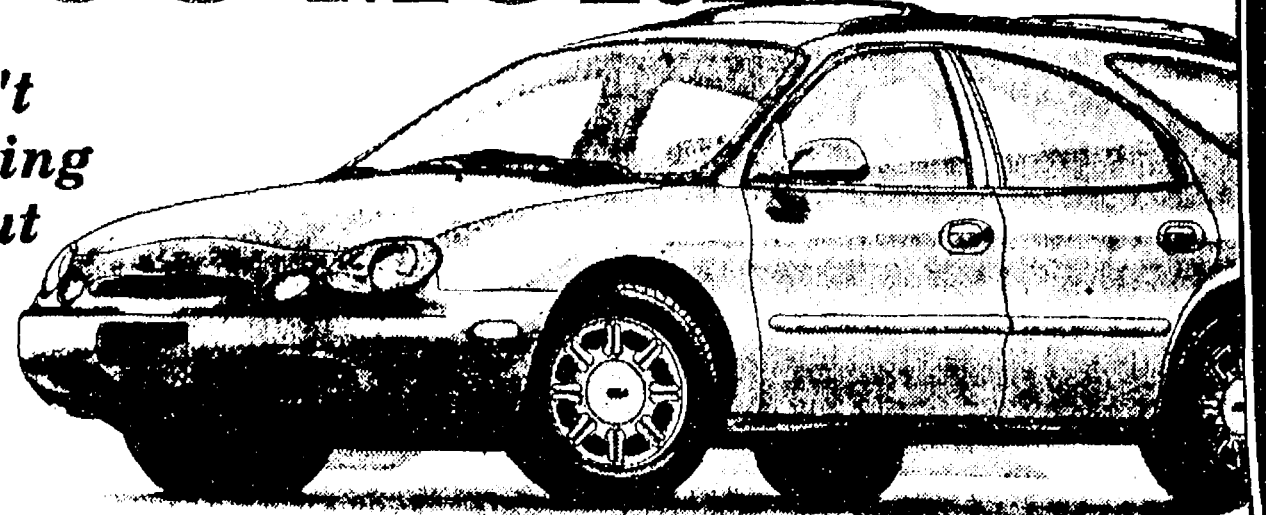
While Baynham's defense continued to stop the Oilers, Redskin Offensive Coordinator Rich Schmidt called for a varied attack on offense. Running backs McClain, Mahaffey, Nick D'Amour and Brett Mead, gained consistent yardage while quarterbacks Schmidt and Chet Wheeler passed several times to tight ends Mike D'Amour and Larry Baynham, Jr.

Wheeler rounded out the scoring with a quarterback sneak of his own, to seal the Redskins' victory. In the game's most exciting play, third-string quarterback Travis Fagan, pitched to little Matt Cottrell, who bolted around the end for a 90-yard gain, being brought down just short of the goal line.

Contributing to the victory, was the Redskin's kicking game.

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## Hunting & Fishing Weekly Update

### Go west young man...

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Pheasant opens down in zone 3 (Michigan's lower 1/3) on October 20th. Many hunters will be heading down for this opener. They say there are some birds over in the Thumb area, and around Jackson, reports have been good.

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## Football Contest

Mary Gothro won the seventh week of the football contest with 16 points, beating out a 6-way tie with a tiebreaker of 52 points. The actual tiebreaker score was 51. 22 entries followed with 15 points each. Everyone received points for game #2 (Thursday game) and #20 (Texas & Oklahoma) tied.

The Avalanche received 202 entries this week. A complete list of entry totals will be in next weeks paper. The top contenders in the overall contest for this week are;

Alonzo Crismon, 100	Thomas Goddard, 98	Irving McIsaac, 96
Jacque Glander, 99	Mary Brown, 98	Mary Gothro, 95
Pat Merrill, 99	Mike Brandel, 97	Ron Metzger, 95
	Carol Conklin, 97	

### Last week's winning teams were;

1. Green Bay (51)	8. Chicago	14. Syracuse
2. St. Louis	9. New Orleans	15. Penn State
3. Buffalo	10. Carolina (41)	16. Ohio State
4. Kansas City	11. Arizona	17. Northwestern
5. Philadelphia	12. Dallas	18. Florida
6. Tampa Bay	13. Michigan State	19. Tennessee
7. Indianapolis		20. Oklahoma & Texas tied (48)

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## SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS

By Jan Farley

Special thought for the week: People may doubt what you say, but they believe what you do.

Lots of things are coming up in the rest of the month—Shawono Breakfast on the 18th; Comedy Hour at 5:30 p.m. on the 19th; Lovell's Satellite at 11:30 a.m., on the 20th, as well as Legal Help at 1:30 p.m.; "OTL" gang goes to Gaylord for lunch at 11:15 a.m. on the 23rd; blood pressures and sugars taken from 11 a.m. to 12 noon; as well as Halloween Dance with Tina at 5:30 p.m. on the 26th; Shawono dinner and Halloween costume judging by the seniors out at Shawono on the 27th at 5 p.m.

Plus, a reminder, that the clocks "Fall Back" on Saturday night before you go to bed on the 28th. As you can see, you all are going to be busy, busy, busy!

There could be a lot more people enjoying themselves if they would take advantage of our trips and activities that are offered through the Commission on Aging and Senior Citizen Center. Keep checking this column as well as the Senior Gazette, our monthly news bulletin and give us a call. We can give you more information, sign you up, or just chit-chat about something that might interest you. Stop in or give us a call at 348-7123.

Eat at the center. The meals are tasty, well balanced, it is really the best deal in town. Any senior, or spouse, that is 60 or more is welcome, and bring your friends and families. With the new funding year upon us, the required donation for seniors remains the same, at \$1.50, however, the charge for those under 60 goes up

to \$3.

Reservations are recommended, however, we can always take a few walk-ins—but for the most part, try to call ahead (348-7123). Meals are served at noon and 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday and noon only on Fridays. Menus are subject to change.

### lunch/dinner.

Oct. 18-Beef Tips & Noodles/Liver & Onions;  
Oct. 19-Chicken & Dumplings/Italian Pork;  
Oct. 20-Home Pride Steak/No Dinner;  
Oct. 23-Meatloaf/Pork Stew;  
Oct. 24-Breaded Chicken/Tuna & Noodles;  
Oct. 25-Veal Birds/Ital. Round Steak;  
Oct. 26-Sweet & Sour Pork/Turkey & Dressing;  
Oct. 27-Beef Stew.

## Travel series continues with trip to New Zealand

On Thursday evening, Oct. 19, the 23rd season of Travel and Adventure, sponsored by the Crawford AuSable Community Education Program, in partnership with Fick & Sons of Grayling, is pleased to present "New Zealand Beckons" with Bob Chrysler.

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## Community Education offers woodcarving

The Crawford AuSable Community education office is pleased to announce the addition of a woodcarving class to the fall 1995 Community Enrichment schedule.

Woodcarving will be held on Wednesday evenings, beginning Oct. 25, at Grayling High School, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Cost of the class is

\$35, plus materials. The instructor will be Joy A. Yax.

Yax has been carving since 1979, and has won over 500 blue ribbons, over 100 Best of Shows, and is the only woman known as a "World Champion." She has been teaching for 15 years, from beginners to professionals, and many of her students have won awards from all over the country.

Yax said, "I believe anyone can carve, the only thing required is desire, the rest can be taught."

Students in the class can expect to complete a full-sized, smooth, easily-painted decoy in the class. Most supplies can be purchased through the instructor or a craft shop. A list of supplies needed will be covered the first night of the class.

Persons interested in participating in this unique opportunity may register at the Adult Learning Center at Hanson Hills, or at Grayling High School the first night of the class. Call 348-7641, ext. 550 days, or 123 evenings, to reserve your spot.

## MERCY BIRTHS

The following parents are proud to announce their recent arrivals at Grayling Mercy Hospital:

Jason O'Toole and Amber Arseneau of Frederic, Gage Anthony, Oct. 6, 1995, 5 pounds, 3.4 ounces.  
Steve and Traci Nelson of Roscommon: Danielle Marie, Oct. 5, 1995, 7 pounds, 4.9 ounces.  
Jason Newell and Helen Oleson of Roscommon: Heather Lee, Oct. 1, 1995, 8 pounds, 9.5 ounces.  
Kenneth and Eva Mathews of Gaylord: Sept. 30, 1995, Ashley Arlene, 7 pounds, 3.5 ounces.  
John and Lisa Wilke of Houghton Lake: Erin Elizabeth, Oct. 2, 1995, 7 pounds, 15.8 ounces.  
Scott and Nancy Asman of Luzerne: Scott Clarence, Oct. 5, 1995, 6 pounds, 15 ounces.

## OBITUARIES

### Malcom Butler

Malcom A. Butler, 78, of Lovells, died Monday, Oct. 16, 1995, at his residence. Funeral services will be held Thursday, Oct. 19, at 1 p.m., at the Assembly of God Church in Grayling, with Reverend Ronald Voelker officiating. Burial will be in Lovells Township Cemetery, Lovells.

Mr. Butler was born Oct. 1, 1917, in Detour. He was married to the former Zada M. Brewer on March 29, 1941, in Lapeer, and following his retirement, 11 years ago, as a crane operator for Pontiac Motor Division, they moved to Lovells, previously living in Lum. They had vacationed in the Lovells area for 25 years. Mr. Butler was a member of the Assembly of God Church in Grayling.

Mr. Butler was preceded in death by his parents, George and Bertha (McAdams) Butler.

Survivors include: wife, Zada M. (Brewer) Butler of Lovells; daughters, Dorothy Nash of Imlay City, Linda Heussner of Weirsdale, Florida, and Lori Ann Butler of Largo, Florida; sons, Ronald Butler and Stephen Butler, both of Lapeer, and Malcom Garry Butler of Lum; 19 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

## CRAWFORD COUNTY LIBRARY NEWS

*Delta* by James Harrison, will be the book of discussion Friday, Oct. 20, at 1 p.m., at the Crawford County Library.

James Harrison is a Michigan author residing in the Leelanau area. Harrison will be awarded by the Michigan Library Association at the annual conference and the center for the book, in November, in Grand Rapids.

Harrison's works have been compared to Ernest Hemingway's Pulitzer prize literature of "crisp, vivid dialogue, exacting descriptions and a prose style of simple sentences."

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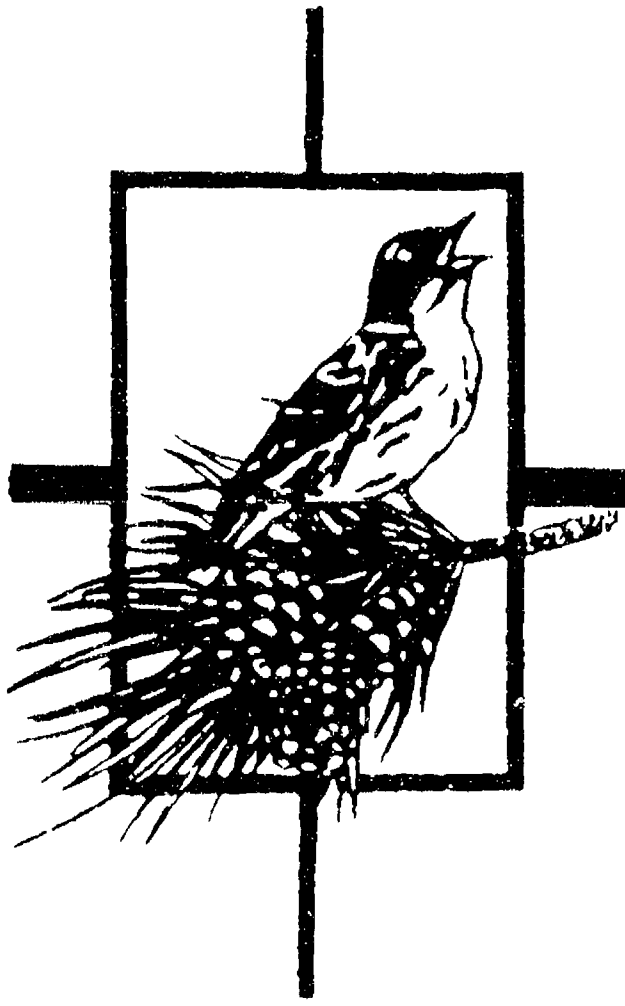
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## Local students receive national welding award

Ferris State University students Matthew D. Bruski and Christopher J. Lehti of Grayling, have received a \$125 Bronze Award for their Division II A entry in the 1995 School Shop Arc Welding Awards Program of the James F. Lincoln Arc Welding Foundation. The national program, which recognizes excellence in the application of arc welding techniques to school shop projects, granted a total of \$25,150 in awards.

Their entry describes the "Racing Boat Trailer" they designed and fabricated under the supervision of Ferris State University instructor David H. Murray.

Division I entrants are 18 years old or younger; Division II is for career students over 18 years of age. The Division II Awards to Career Students Program has two entry categories. Career students are asked to submit "Project Entries" to Division II-A. "Welding Research for Study Problem entries" are submitted to Division II-B.

The James F. Lincoln Arc Welding Foundation, established in 1936, by the Lincoln Electric Company to advance the science and application of arc welding, has offered awards annually for 59 years to recognize superior achievements in these fields.

## RSVP HAPPENINGS

By Gloria Mologianes

We are busy in the office, getting ready for Old Man Winter. We are in need of yarn for all of our in-home volunteers who work diligently on hats, scarves and mittens for all of the children who need them in our community.

We are still in need of some volunteers to sub for the Meals on Wheels program. Your mileage is reimbursed by the Crawford County

Commission on Aging, and excess liability insurance is provided by RSVP for your automobile. If you are 55 years of age or older, contact us at 303 Lawndale, or 348-4341.

We can always use more transporters.

A little off of RSVP track for a moment. There will be an initial meeting to try and get a Habitat for Humanity started in Crawford County. The meeting will be Oct. 30, at 7 p.m. I am not sure of the place right now, but if you are interested, give me a call at 348-4341. This is a wonderful way for people in our community to be able to have their own home, and to even help in the building or repair of that home. Remember, call me at 348-4341 if you are interested in helping with this project.

I just spoke to Mr. Quigley from Grayling Housing Commission and the meeting for Habitat will be held in the dining room of the Senior Center, on Lawndale. The building is located right behind Burger King. It will be at 7 p.m., and I hope to see you there. The time is right, let's get this good thing going for our community.

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## BITS OF TALK

By Fay Bovee

The first thing I have to write about this week is a public apology for two wonderful people whose names were omitted from the museum newsletter. Martha Austin and Katy Nave helped with the building of the museum float during the AuSable River Festival Parade, and their names were inadvertently left off the list. They

were responsible for getting the balloons and helping with many other things. Not only that, they kept the flowers weeded and watered at the museum. The past summer was a difficult one for them, as some days it just became too hot for them to stay at their jobs outside, which they have done for several years. Thank you, Martha and Katy!

## LEGAL ACTION

### NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain Mortgage made by PAUL A. GILDNER and SHERYL C. GILDNER, husband and wife, of 58 RAC Lane, Perreton, IN 46562-9024, to NORTH CENTRAL AREA CREDIT UNION, of 129 Lake Avenue, P.O. Box 727, Roscommon, MI 48653, dated February 15, 1991, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, on February 22, 1991, in Liber 322, Pages 197-200, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest the sum of Thirty Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 64/100 (\$33,877.64) Dollars, and no proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage thereof and in pursuance to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage thereof will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described or such much thereof as may be necessary, at public auction, to the highest bidder,

at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for said County, on 9 November 1995 at 10:00 a.m., of said day, and said premises will be sold to pay the amount so as aforesaid then due on said Mortgage together with Eight and 95/100 (8.95%) percent interest, legal costs, attorney's fees, and also any taxes and insurance that said Mortgagee does pay on or prior to the date of said sale; which said premises are described in said Mortgage as follows, to-wit: Township of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan

Lot 39, RED WING TERRACE, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 4 of Plats, page 22, Crawford County Records.

Street address: 331 Red Tailed Hawk Loop, Grayling, Michigan 49738

The period of redemption will be Six (6) months from the date of sale unless determined to be abandoned pursuant to M.C.L.A. (40) 3241(1) whereby the period of redemption shall be thirty (30) days.

Dated: 25 September 1995

By Gerard F. Brabant P31123

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## MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP NOTICE

Maple Forest Township will accept bids for snowplowing the township hall driveway and parking area for the 1995-96 season until 5 pm, October 31, 1995. Bids may be sent to the township supervisor at 7416 Sherman Rd., Frederic, or township clerk at 8802 Petersen Rd., Frederic.

The township board reserves the right to reject any or all bids in the best interest of Maple Forest township.

Susan Keene  
Township Clerk

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**AUSABLE RIVERFRONT** Very nice, 1,800 sq. ft. home with knotty pine family room overlooking the river, two bathrooms, two woodstoves with brick hearths, large garage with workshop, on three lots, two miles from Grayling. Call Joe Arbaugh at Century 21 Emery/Nielsen. (517) 826-3265 or (517) 848-5111.  
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**AUSABLE RIVER HOME** terrific riverfront view, mainstream above McMasters, year round, easy access, three bedrooms, built 1st class. 1,000 ft. river frontage, acreage. Investment possibilities. Land contract terms. Hal, broker 348-5965.  
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This home features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths and a very large 24'x32' garage in a very quiet, conveniently located subdivision only a mile from town. Just a short drive from an abundance of state land for hunting or recreational use.

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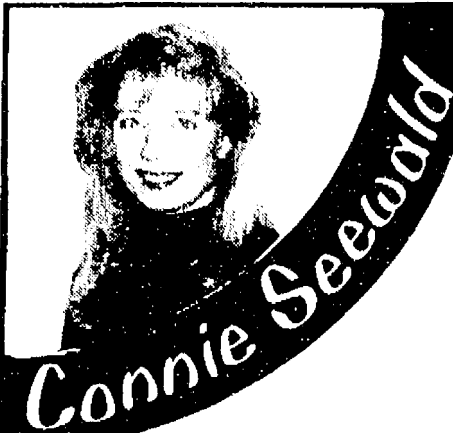
To see this listing, call Robert Pollack at 348-5474 or visit the open house Saturday, October 28th from 10 am to 2 pm

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**CHALET ON 10 ACRES** - This 1,300 sq. ft. home adjoins federal land in front and state land in back. It has three bedrooms, two full baths, full basement, newly remodeled kitchen with beautiful oak cabinets, wood parkay floors, Andersen windows, brick fireplace with glass door, new carpet, recessed lighting. Many additional features! \$68,900. CS-260

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#3753 - VERY NICE THREE BEDROOM, 2-story home with two bathrooms and extensive decking, attached garage. \$78,900. Call me for details at Office 348-5474 or at home 348-6573.

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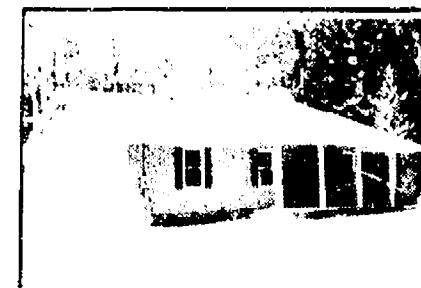
This 1,232 sq. ft., three bedroom home features two full baths, 2-car attached garage, full basement, covered porch, vinyl siding, oak trim, oak cabinets, and septic. Two year warranty.

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Three bedroom, two bath, 1,700+ sq. ft. home just south of Grayling. This gorgeous home sits on 2.7 acres and is offered for only \$119,900. #3713



**Walking Distance From AuSable River**

Remodeled two bedroom home with a 28'x30' heated garage a 12'x60' mobile, blacktop drive, new vinyl siding and more. Asking \$77,900. #3687



**Close To Everything**

This home offers an excellent location, close to town yet off the beaten path. Natural gas, cable TV, 120'x220' lot and located on a paved road. \$64,500. #3724



**Dreams Do Come True**

This is truly a dream home, offering 3 full stories, 4 large bedrooms, 3 full baths, fireplace and more. The outside will find you enjoying the AuSable River from your extensive deck. \$196,500. #3740



**Easement To Relaxation**

Quality three bedroom home sitting on approximately four acres and just across the street from the "Holy Waters" of the AuSable River. Only \$76,000. #3741



**Three Fabulous Parcels**

Three 10-acre parcels that are a must see! Tall mature red & white pines, maple, oak and beech cover the property. This is the place to build your dream home. Asking \$21,900 for each parcel. #3745-3747.



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Very nice three bedroom home features two baths, a nice size living room with doorways out to extensive layered decking and an attached garage. Listed at \$78,900. #3753



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**GREAT THREE BEDROOM HOME** on 10 acres of mixture of woods. Dining room offers a woodburner to set the mood for those candle-lit dinners. On paved, county maintained road. \$59,000. #131



**TWO BEDROOM HOME** sitting on a lot in the woods. Can be used as a year-round home or a weekend get-a-way. \$22,000. #118



**COZY COTTAGE** on the banks of the Manistee River. On paved county maintained road with state land across the street. Buy now! Priced to sell! Reduced to \$29,900. #82



**100 FEET OF LAKE FRONTAGE** - Enjoy the lovely sunset in this delightful two bedroom home on beautiful Bass Lake. Located in Kalkaska County. Only \$49,900. #017



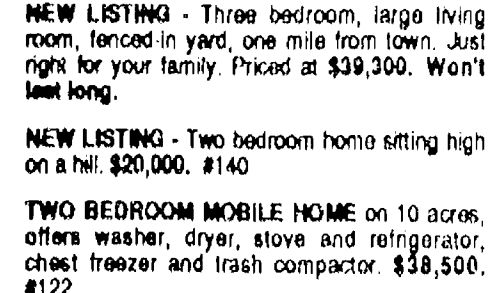
**CHARMING TWO BEDROOM HOME** a stones throw from Lake Margrethe. Home includes a large great room with knotty pine and a free standing fireplace. All on a large lot. \$59,000. #127



**ALL DECKED OUT** - Three bedroom home with two decks for you to entertain your guests. Also includes a 26'x26 pole barn. \$43,000. #119



**LOG LOVERS DREAM HOME** on the AuSable River within one mile of Grayling city limits. Two bedrooms and two baths on the main floor, one bedroom and one bath upstairs, with skylights and balcony overlooking great room. Price reduced \$140,000. #120



**NEW LISTING** - Three bedroom, large living room, fenced-in yard, one mile from town. Just right for your family. Priced at \$39,300. Won't last long.  
**NEW LISTING** - Two bedroom home sitting high on a hill. \$20,000. #140

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**FOR RENT** Clean one bedroom duplex. Close to town, cable available, utilities included, \$325 month, security deposit required, references required, no pets. 348-8386. -19-26/2

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**TWO BEDROOM DUPLEX** in Viking Village. No pets, \$575 per month, includes lawn maintenance, snowplowing and trash pick-up. Utilities not included. Call Karen (616) 946-4486. 7/27/95tf/2

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**CLEAN TWO BEDROOM TRAILER** within walking distance to town. \$350 month, \$350 security deposit. References required, no pets. 348-8386. -19-26/2

**ONE AND TWO BEDROOM** apartments available at 201 Fulton near senior center. Two bedroom is partially barrier free, ground floor, \$385. Upper level, one bedroom apartment, \$335. Security lights and door, neat and well maintained. Section 8 approved, senior and single person discount available, no pets, references, call Ron at Cornell Insurance, 348-6761. 10/19/95tf/2

**THREE BEDROOM TRAILER** \$285 month, security deposit. No pets. References. Airport Road near high school. 348-2431. -19-26/2

**THREE BEDROOM MOBILE** \$350 month, first, last and security deposit, plus utilities. No pets. 348-5506. -19/2

**FOR RENT** One bedroom home. Eight miles out on M-72 East. No children. \$300 per month. Good references. Phone 348-9014. -19/2

**TWO BEDROOM MOBILE** very clean, well insulated. Trash pickup. \$285 monthly plus security. Call 348-2458. -19/2


**ONE BEDROOM EFFICIENCY** \$285 a month. One mile from Grayling. Utilities included, deposit required. 348-8713 evenings. 10/12/95tf/2

**LOG CABIN** two bedrooms, fully furnished, no pets, couple or single, year-round. \$500/month. \$250 deposit. Call 348-2353. 5-12-19-26/2

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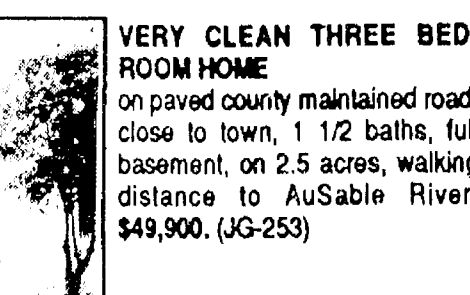
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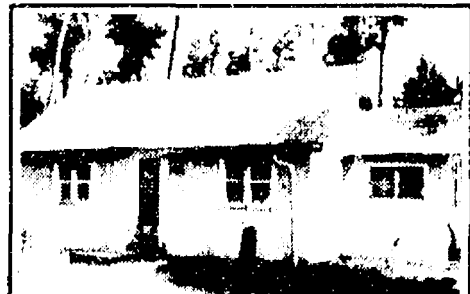
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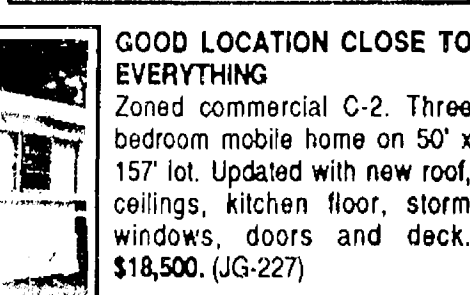
**100 FEET OF FRONTAGE**  
on Shupac Lake in Lovell. Beautiful wooded setting makes this the perfect place to enjoy northern Michigan at its best. Two bedroom cottage with large living room with fireplace, nice kitchen, eating area with view of the lake, full bath with shower, completely furnished, partial basement and storage shed. Priced right at \$92,000. (JG-223)



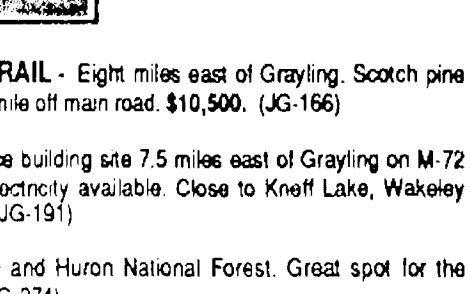
**VERY CLEAN THREE BEDROOM HOME**  
on paved county maintained road, close to town, 1 1/2 baths, full basement, on 2.5 acres, walking distance to AuSable River. \$49,900. (JG-253)



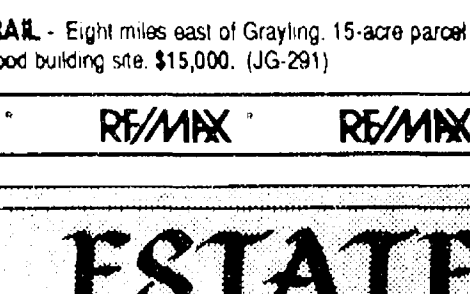
**VERY NEAT, CLEAN CABIN**  
Located on main road, six miles from Grayling. Electrical service updated. LP gas, well with hand pump, 8'x10' storage shed. 1.8 acres. \$20,000. (JG-234)



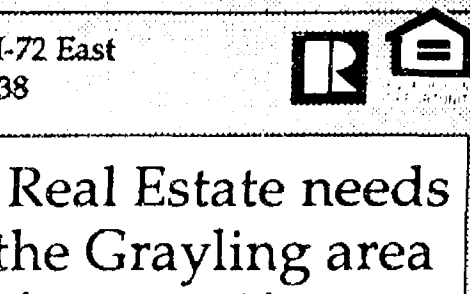
**GOOD LOCATION CLOSE TO EVERYTHING**  
Zoned commercial C-2. Three bedroom mobile home on 50' x 157' lot. Updated with new roof, ceilings, kitchen floor, storm windows, doors and deck. \$18,500. (JG-227)



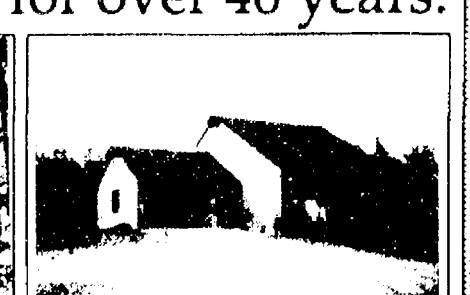
**10 ACRES ON HORSESHOE TRAIL** - Eight miles east of Grayling. Scotch pine and oak trees. Great building site one mile off main road. \$10,500. (JG-166)



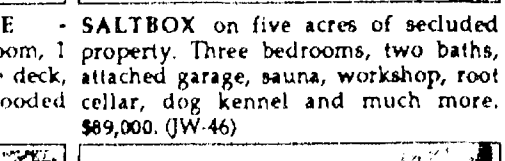
**2.1 ACRES ON M-72 EAST** - Nice building site 7.5 miles east of Grayling on M-72 East. Well and septic on property. Electricity available. Close to Knott Lake, Wakeley Lake and the AuSable River. \$7,000. (JG-191)



**2.5 ACRES** - Close to Knott Lake and Huron National Forest. Great spot for the hunter or for snowmobiling. \$7,950. (JG-274)



**15 ACRES ON HORSESHOE TRAIL** - Eight miles east of Grayling. 15-acre parcel great for hunting and snowmobiling. Good building site. \$15,000. (JG-291)



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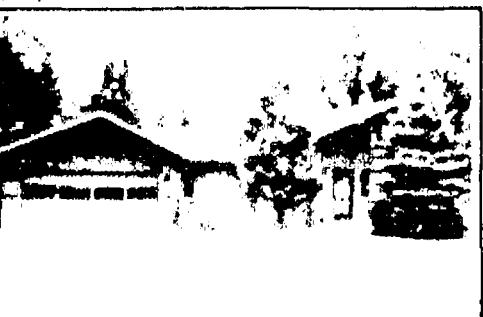


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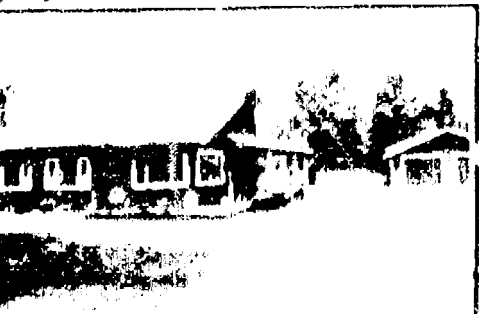


**CUSTOM CHALET ON MANISTEE RIVER** - Spacious home with four bedrooms, three baths, family room, cathedral beamed ceiling, utility loft, stove, refrigerator, built-in oven and range, top dishwasher, washer and dryer, two wall fireplaces. There is a walk-out finished basement with around 6'x14 deck and a dog shelter. Most furniture included. \$105,000. (JG-263)



**TALKING HOUSE**

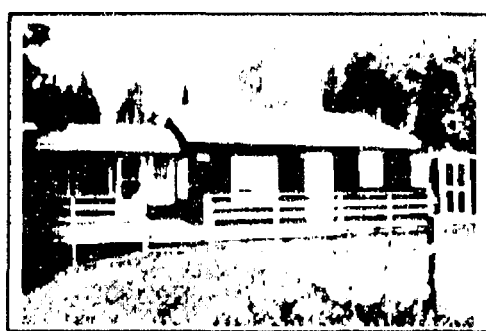
**700 MICHIGAN AVENUE - LARGE FAMILY HOME IN THE CITY!** 2,030 sq. ft., 4.5 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths with very spacious rooms. Full basement, natural gas heat, city water/sewer. Nice corner lot with 2-car garage. \$54,000. CS-192



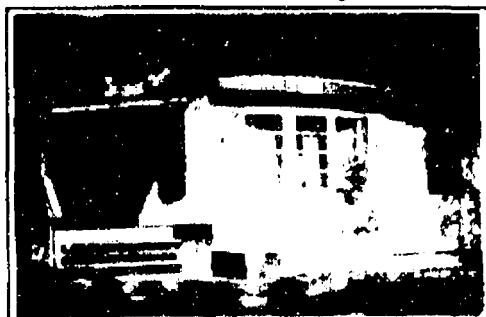
**CUSTOM SALTBOX** - Full finished basement, five wooded acres only minutes from Grayling. 26x28 garage, 26x40 pole barn, master bedroom suite with doorwall onto balcony, 3 or 4 bedrooms, 2 ceramic tile baths, cathedral ceilings, sky lights, 1,716 sq. ft. lower level, new kitchen cabinets, all appliances, wrap around covered porch, sunroom finished in white cedar. All in excellent condition, now listing, call today Rod/Kod. \$94,950. CH-258



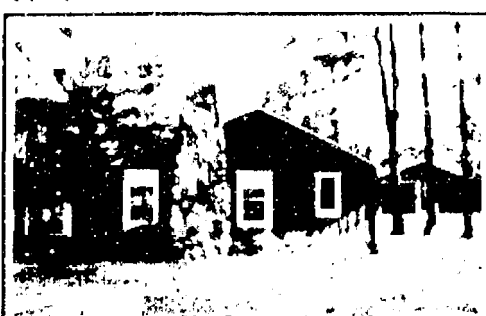
**COUNTY HOME ON FIVE WOODED ACRES!** Three bedrooms, one bath, 1,500 sq. ft., large family room with walkout patio doors to large deck, 24x30 attached garage, partial basement, storage shed, close to AuSable River and state land. \$37,500. CS-126



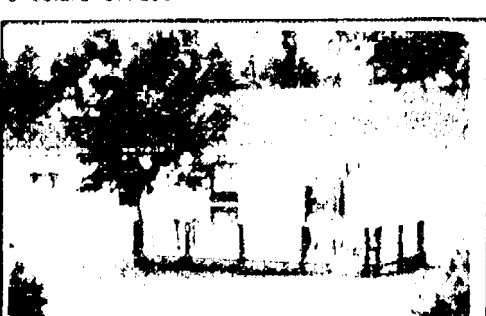
**MANISTEE RIVERFRONT** - State land on two sides, DeWard quiet area, modern 2-bedroom cottage with glassed-in family sunroom, wrap-around decking, fully furnished, french doors, recently remodeled. Ideal fishing, hunting, snowmobiling getaway. all available out the back door. Just listed \$54,500. Bank financing CH-292



**MOBILE HOME CONVENIENTLY LOCATED TO TOWN!** 846 sq. ft. of living space, sunken family room, bay window in living room, two bedrooms, 28x20 unfinished garage, LP gas forced air heat plus woodstove. \$15,500. CS-150



**NORTH BRANCH OF AUSABLE RIVER** - 435 prime acreage, 3.25 acres, quality rustic, finished 3 bedroom, 2 bath, home-cottage, cedar, TAG interior, split stone fireplace, master bedroom suite with 9 ft. french doors overlooking river, three tier deck, dock, 24x32 garage, workshop, 15x21 garage, cedar enclosed porch, hot stone barbecue and split stone foundation. Perfect privacy amongst mature white pines. Many extra features. Call today for details. CH-293



**RECREATIONAL PROPERTY ON 1.47 ACRES!** Excellent hunting cabin or just great getaway. 756 sq. ft. of living space, large living room, galley kitchen, cone woodstove, two walk out patio doors off living room. Very neat and clean, immediate occupancy, completely furnished except few personal items. Reduced to \$24,900. CS-081



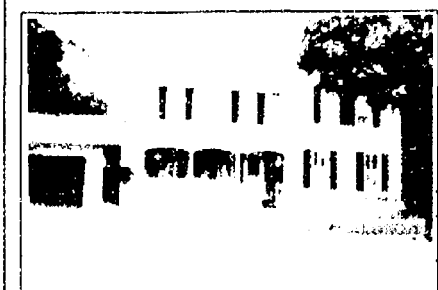
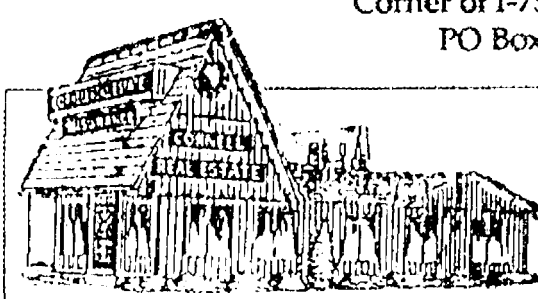
**COMMERCIAL/RESIDENTIAL** Four bedroom home, partial basement, large three car garage, heated workshop, enclosed porch, family room, stove, refrigerator, washer & dryer, all on three acres fronting M-72 West. Only \$39,900. CH-245

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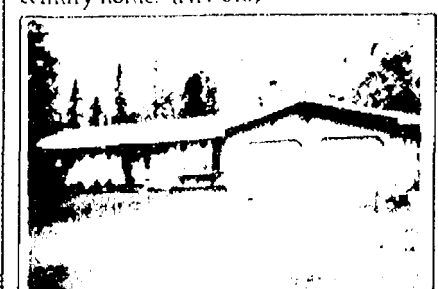
**BED & BREAKFAST "HERITAGE HOUSE"** in Gaylord's Alpine Village. Five guest rooms, golf mecca, minutes to nine ski resorts. Immaculate turn of the century home. (NN-615)



**SALTBOX** on five acres of secluded property. Three bedrooms, two baths, attached garage, sauna, workshop, root cellar, dog kennel and much more. \$89,000. (JW-46)



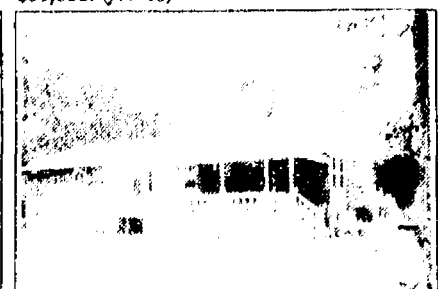
**SOUTH BRANCH AUSABLE RIVER** 180' frontage, 4-bedroom home, two baths, garage with workshop & living quarters, 2nd garage with office. What a view. So many extra features you need to see this in person. \$175,000. (LM-874)



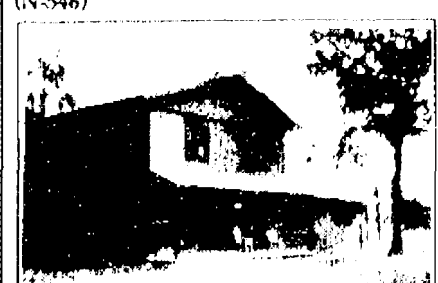
**LAKE MARGRETHE ACCESS HOME ON FIVE ACRES** - With state land adjoining, three bedrooms, three baths, whirlpool bath, large garage with workshop, 12'x30' barn, all appliances, satellite dish and much more. \$108,500. (N-546)



**HIGGINS LAKE ACCESS** - Two bedroom home with detached garage, one block off Higgins Lake, nice view with public access and dock section included. \$79 yr. insurance. Fenced yard with nice trees. \$73,900. (DL-77)



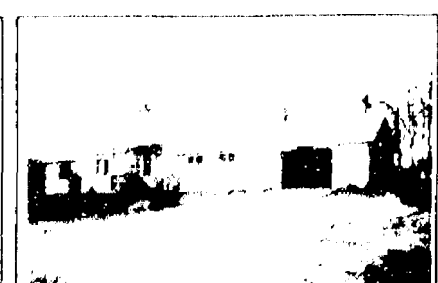
**408 PARK STREET** - This remodeled 3-bedroom stately home sits on the city's only hilltop, family room, new garage, and forced air heat only six years ago, water softener, 90'x240' site. \$68,000. (NN-669)



**FAMILY HOME** on three acres, three bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, wood heater, newer carpet and septic, garage and a workshop. Lots of room with over 2,100 square feet. \$79,900. (DL-25)



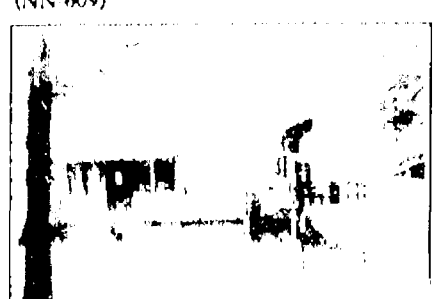
**CRAWFORD AUSABLE SCHOOL BUILDING TRADING** - Three bedrooms, two baths, garage, large deck, beautiful lot, close to town. (LM-872)



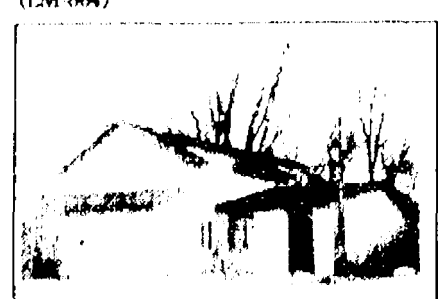
**AUSABLE RIVER HOME** - 2,288 sq. ft., oak cabinets and trim throughout, hi-tech heating system, four bedrooms, two baths, vinyl siding. Reduced to \$79,500. (MC-457)



**UNIQUE 2,620 SQ. FT. HOME** - Four bedrooms, two baths, family room, natural gas, enclosed pool, 2-car garage, near town. Reduced to \$115,900. Now available for rent or rent/option. (MC-470)



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## 2a. Wanted to Rent

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The Department of Social Services is seeking approximately 1,500 to 1,600 square feet of barrier free, ground floor space located in Grayling.

The site must accommodate off-street parking for a minimum of 20 vehicles. The space must comply with Barrier Free Design and be free of toxic substances. Restrooms must be located within leased space. FACILITY MUST BE ASBESTOS-FREE OR ASBESTOS ENCAPSULATED. The space must be available by July 1, 1996.

The Department of Social Services reserves the right to accept or reject any site.

If you have a site that can meet the requirements as identified, please submit address and site location to:

Mr. Charles Olney, Property Specialist  
State of Michigan  
Department of Management and Budget  
Real Estate Division  
P.O. Box 30026  
Lansing, Michigan 48909

Please reply on or before November 2, 1995. Any replies after this date will not be accepted.

## 2. For Rent

**ONE ROOM EFFICIENCY** for single person, furnished, includes utilities, cable hook up. \$290 per month plus deposit. Call 348-5433, evenings 348-8336 10/5/95tf/2

**FOR RENT OR OPTION** to buy. Two bedroom home near Fletcher Road. \$325.00 month, immediate occupancy. Craig Hinkle 348-7440 or evenings 348-5192. -12-19/2

**PRIVATE OFFICE** plus secretarial area. Both furnished, includes all utilities. Excellent parking. \$270 per month. (517) 348-5433 or (517) 348-8336. 8/10/95tf/2

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## 3. Employment

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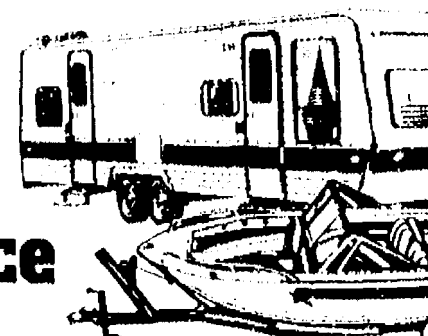
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**5. For Sale**

**BABY ITEMS FOR SALE** Car booster seat, high chair, large stroller, umbrella stroller, portable playpen-gate, swing, monitor and "Roll-Safe" changing pad. Call 348-8679. -5-12-19/5

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**5. For Sale**

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**5. For Sale**

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**FOR SALE** Grizzly Woodstove. Cash \$300. 348-2241. -19/5

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**7. Miscellaneous**

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**8. Announcements**

**COME AND ENJOY** beer battered fish and chips. \$5.25, all you can eat. 4:00 - 9:00 p.m., Fridays at Spikes Keg O' Nails. -12-19-26-2/8

**SCHOLARSHIPS** Grayling Lodge #356 F&AM is giving scholarships for the 1995 school year, to deserving students who have completed at least one year of college. For applications write to: Grayling Lodge #356 F&AM, P.O. Box 207, Grayling, MI 49738, and return the completed form by December 31, 1995. -19-26-2/8

**CRAFT SHOW** November 4, at Eagles Hall on E-72, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Refreshments available. Table rental \$10. Contact Lou Ann Crosby (348-8186) or Alice Cragg (348-7248) for table reservations. Sponsored by Carl W. Borchers VFW Ladies Auxiliary 3736. -5-12-19/8

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of Crawford County  
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Saturday, November 4, 1995  
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**8. Announcements**

**WELCOME WAGON HOSTESS'S** Call Betty Mansfield, 348-8562, if you are a newcomer, engaged, or a new mother. 8/3/95tf/8

**10. Garage Sales**

**ST. FRANCIS THRIFT SHOP** (a church resale shop), M-72 West. Open Monday, 1-8, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 10-4. Halloween Costumes. All clothing 1/2 off this week. Excludes outerwear. 348-2572. -19/10

**END OF YEAR** garage sale. 413 Peninsular St., Friday 9 to 4, Saturday 9 to 12. A very large amount of nice, clean, mostly winter clothing. Sweaters, skirts, slacks, jeans, etc., other misc. items. Anything you can stuff in a bag for \$1. Don't miss this one or you will be sorry! -19/10

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**11. Automotive**

**1988 SUBARU 4X4** station wagon. High miles, cruise, power windows. \$1,500 negotiable. 275-8000. -19/11

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**'93 CHEVY 8-10** Blazer 4x4, air, cruise, tilt, PB, PS, power windows and locks, \$17,000/OBO. Call 348-6694 after 6 p.m. -19-26/11

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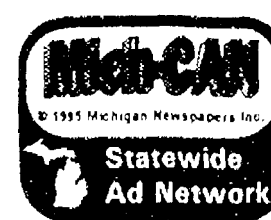
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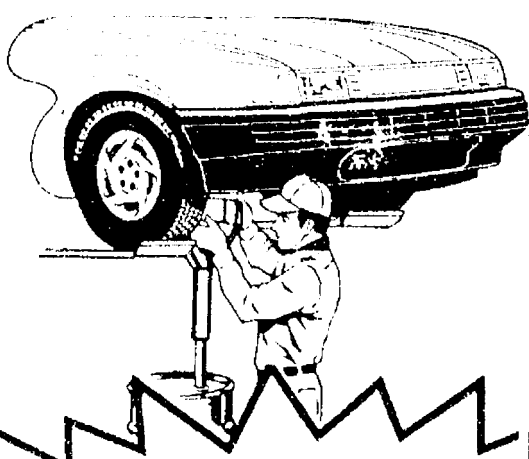
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## BITS OF TALK

By Fay Bovee

For those of you who didn't have time to visit the museum this summer, either because it was too hot or because you had too much company, Thursday, Oct. 12, would be a good time to do it. It will be open for Thank You Grayling Day, when the downtown merchants show their appreciation for your business.

The chainsaws have been busy in our neighborhood this late summer and into fall. The big, old willow trees that have lined the AuSable River bank here in town, are beginning to show their age, and to forestall any disasters from them, they are coming down or being trimmed. John Cammin has been trimming out some deadwood on the south side of the river, but the big change is the mighty tree on the corner of the Joe Wakeley and Borchers lot. It took a lot of sawing for Mark Hunter and Joe to get rid of that one. The Humes at Penrod's have also trimmed and taken down several willows that were dying.

Down here on Ingham Street, the Al and Marge Matthews yard has undergone a lot of trimming of older trees and bushes, and the old fence has been replaced with a new privacy-board fence with lattice on top, put up by Don Smock and son of Milltown Fencing.

# 11. Automotive

## TREE program receives Weyerhaeuser grant

Paul Call, Weyerhaeuser's Raw Material Manager is shown presenting a \$5,000 check to Mary Harmon in support of the TREE (Teaching Responsible Environmental Education) program.

"If it wasn't for Weyerhaeuser grants, the tree program would not have gotten off the ground," said Mary.

TREE is an environmental education program designed to give elementary students insight into the working forests which provide the products that they use in everyday life.

The program was presented to a record number of students across the state in 1994-95.



Michigan Forest Facts

There are 18.6 million acres of timberland in Michigan. The value of raw timber products exceeds \$300 million. Lumber and wood products add \$1,528 million to Michigan's economy. Wood furniture adds \$876 million to Michigan's economy. Over \$2 billion is added to Michigan's economy through transportation, marketing, and construction with forest products.

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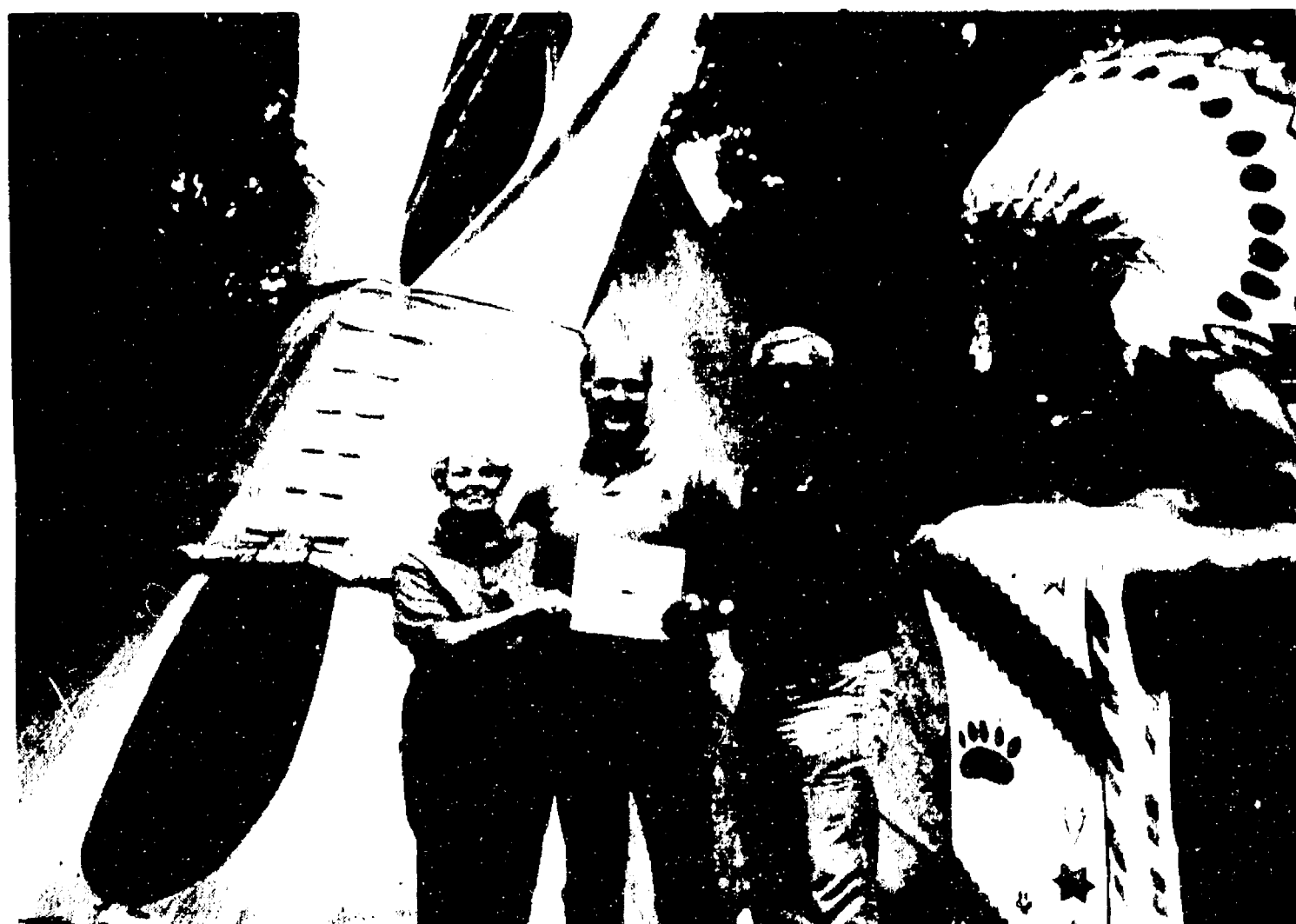
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**REWARDED** — River Park Campground in Grayling was recently received a reward from Woodall Publications, publishers of Woodall's Campground Directory, in recognition of their contribution to the promotion of tourism in the county. Dennis and Maureen Fyock are shown receiving the certificate from Ken Kleman (R) of Woodall's.

## CRAWFORD COUNTY AVALANCHE

FOR YOUR LOCAL VIKING ACTION...

## BITS OF TALK

By Fay Bovee

The basement that had been started on Chestnut Street behind the old Jarmin house, has been removed and the lot cleaned up. The Klein house on Ionia and Maple streets, recently sold by the school to Carolyn and Roger Hall, has been cleared of all overgrown bushes and trees, and we'll be anxiously awaiting spring when the Halls will be doing a major remodeling job. The former Welsh-Trustner house on the corner of Michigan Avenue and Park Street has new decorative fencing and is all decorated up for Halloween.

Howard Taylor was the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling on Monday, Oct. 2. He told the club about the plans for Wellington Park, that he has set up in Beaver Creek, just off Military Road, and invited them to attend his opening weekend on Oct. 7 and 8.

Marv and Iris Karickhoff of Davison, were met in St. Helen on Friday evening by Al and Val Johnston of Warblers. They attended the Landsberg and Yount concert at Kirtland Community College and remained as guests of the Johnstons until Monday.

Rodney Ney, Jr., his wife, Gail Fowler Ney, and three children, have built a new home on the AuSable River just upriver from her parents, Bernie and Pat Fowler at Edgewater. They came from Washington D.C., where he was stationed, the latter part of the summer, and plan to remain here permanently.

OCTOBER IS

## Breast Cancer Awareness Month



Breast cancer is a leading cause of death for American women age 35 and over. But mammography can detect breast cancer at such an early stage that it can be cured in more than 90 percent of all cases.

The Breast Imaging Center at Grayling Mercy Hospital is the place to begin. Our center is staffed entirely by women who work with mammography equipment recommended for use by the American Cancer Society. And every mammogram is read by one of our board-certified radiologists.

We are offering a special low-cost mammogram gift certificate for \$80. Includes the exam, radiologists reading, and information on breast self-examination.

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# FACTS AND FEATURES

## YOUR HOROSCOPE

### Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast For: October 22 -28, 1995

- ARIES** Promises must be kept, no matter how distasteful they are. Don't back down on your word.  
March 21-April 19
- TAURUS** It is time to get your priorities in order. Discard those things that are unimportant and keep your wits about you.  
April 20 - May 20
- GEMINI** Before accepting any job offers, check into benefits...it may not be as attractive an offer as it appears.  
May 21 - June 20
- CANCER** Any financial maneuver should be carefully reviewed by trusted experts. Look before you leap.  
June 21 - July 22
- LEO** Before you begin to mediate any disagreement, know the facts. Don't jump in feet first.  
July 23 - Aug 22
- VIRGO** Wait until later in the week to communicate concerns to co-workers. By then, tempers will have cooled off.  
Aug 23 - Sept 22
- LIBRA** Speak your mind, but do so in a tactful manner. Those in charge will appreciate your candor.  
Sept 23 - Oct 22
- SCORPIO** Creativity is at a peak. Use this time to begin Christmas shopping. Much can be accomplished.  
Oct 23 - Nov 21
- SAGITTARIUS** A funeral will interrupt your week. While the circumstances will be difficult, you will be able to handle the responsibilities.  
Nov 22 - Dec 21
- CAPRICORN** Socializing with the right crowd could put you in touch with influential people. Be on your toes.  
Dec 22 - Jan 19
- AQUARIUS** In the event your first attempt at success fails, have a back-up plan. You never know what method will work best.  
Jan 20 - Feb 18
- PISCES** Just because your opinions differ with family members doesn't mean anyone is wrong. Agree to disagree.  
Feb 19 - March 20



**TERRIER MIX NEEDS A HOME--This male terrier mix is a very friendly dog. He is good with kids, and is housebroken. If you would like to give him a home, or any of the other animals at the shelter, stop by the Animal Shelter of Crawford County, or give them a call at 348-4117.**

## PET CARE TIPS

The Humane Society of the United States (HSUS) has three new publications that will help you to help cats: a 35-page booklet on cat-care basics, a brochure dispelling cat fables and a 20-page booklet on cat-protective legislation. For information on ordering Get the Facts on Cats materials, write to The HSUS, 2100 L Street NW, Washington, DC, 20037.

## WEEKEND CROSSWORD

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### THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWERS

- ACROSS**
- Equip for war
  - Portico
  - Edge
  - By way of
  - Labor
  - Poem
  - Printer's measure
  - Sicknesses
  - Shore bird
  - Position
  - Watchful
  - Ovum
  - Wray
  - Category
  - Sled
  - Prove false
  - Nerve cell
  - Molding
  - H<sub>2</sub>O
  - Female deer
  - Limb
  - Large stream
  - Removed the central part
  - Half, prefix
  - Relative pronoun
  - Recent
  - Insect egg
  - Skin growth
  - Scot. river
  - Tripoli measure
  - On
  - Skill
- DOWN**
- Hail!
  - Wheel part, pl.
  - Teacher
  - Insect bite
  - Related
  - Grease
  - Jolsen and Capp
  - Girl's name
  - False god
  - Bare
  - Disagree
  - Deputy, e.g.
  - Offensive
  - Pelt
  - Former
  - Jap. money
  - More recent
  - Sensational
  - Staff
  - Self
  - Attorney's charge
  - Ever
  - Program
  - Game like bingo
  - Sell
  - Asian ruler
  - Hayworth
  - Small wagon
  - Hind
  - Duet
  - Chin. dynasty



## A LOOK AT OUR PAST FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE

### 23 years ago Oct. 19, 1972

Through the efforts of Mrs. Howard Hayes, 10th District McGovern coordinator, Jim Brozo was able to attend the McGovern fundraising dinner held in Southfield on Oct. 9. Mr. Brozo, a local McGovern campaign volunteer, was among the crowd numbering around 1,700, who heard Sen. George McGovern's speech.

Kristina Golnick, daughter of the Karl Golnicks, celebrated her second birthday Saturday, Oct. 14. She received many nice gifts for the occasion. Cake, ice cream, coffee and pop were served to the guests.

Sandy Middleton took her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Middleton, and family out to dinner at the Holiday Inn Saturday night to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

Tricia Nethers and Joyce Olander are co-editors of the 1973, Crawford AuSable High School yearbook. Joyce and Tricia, along with two other students, Carol Raiths and Tom Vajda, attended a yearbook seminar held at Gaylord last week. The yearbook is directed under Michael Delp and the trip was under his supervision.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer "Mud" King Sr., were awakened at about 4 a.m. Wednesday morning to receive a phone call from their son Bob who was in Hawaii. He had left in August and caught his boat, the U.S. William Rush, at Lebanon for a cruise. He said he is fine and expects to be back in the states around Oct. 31, and that it was about four in the afternoon Hawaii time, when he called.

Relatives of Karl and Karen Golnick surprised them with a housewarming party Friday night. They recently moved into their new home. Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Golnick, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Golnick, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harold Golnick, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Golnick, Mr. and Mrs. Liwyn Wilson and Mrs. Elizabeth Atkinson. The Claude Golnicks were unable to attend. Karl and Karen were presented with a beautiful bedspread from the group, who also brought along a complete meal.

The Grayling High School golf team, under Coach Tom St. Germain, finished up their season Saturday, at the regional golf tournament at Freeland.

Grayling finished 6th out of a field of 33 teams. The Grayling team, composed of Dale Melroy, 83, Bill

Horning, 84, Dave King, 89, and Scott Olsen, 90, finished with a total of 350 strokes.

Last weekend, members of the Booster Club were at work at the Little League field to get the infield and base paths ready for the installation of diamond dust to be put in this weekend from Traverse City. This is the last big project at the field by the Boosters. The club previously has put in an underground watering system, installed two flag poles, resodded the infield and seeded the outfield, installed a PA system, assisted in repainting the ad signs around the park, besides putting all new fencing on the face of the dugouts. Also, due to B & E and vandalism of the concession stand, the club has placed metal bars over the windows and door.

### 46 years ago Oct. 20, 1949

The Gaylord Blue Devils will invade Grayling Friday afternoon to do battle with the Grayling Vikings in a traditional gridiron fray. Both teams have about an equal record in conference play this year.

The Michigan Conservation Commission last week approved a plan to restrict six miles of the North Branch of the AuSable River to fly fishermen only. The commission by its authorization, forbids the use of bait for trout on the stream from the Crawford-Osego line downstream towards Lovells for six miles.

Our Gang celebrated its 21st anniversary last Thursday night. Roll call was given by 24 members who answered by telling the number of years they had belonged. Three charter members responded: Mrs. Bertha Williams, Mrs. John Stephan and Mrs. Barton Wakeley. Another charter member is Julia Clisc of Detroit.

Edmond Howse is starting to build on his property north of Archie Howse's.

Basil Hubbell and Fred Carr from the Grayling Fish Hatchery, spent a week in the U.P. where they found game plentiful and hunting conditions in their favor. They also had a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Brown and Mr. and Mrs. John Bogie at Big Bay. Both couples are formerly from Grayling.

Ed Caid enjoyed a few days hunting pheasant in the southern part of the state and had very good luck.

Art Clough reports the sale of the John Wakeley home on Michigan Avenue to Mrs. Hannah Langenberg. Larry McNamara was home from

Central Michigan to spend the weekend with his mother. He had as his guest, his roommate Colby Little of Alpena.

Tom Anthony was home from Ferris Institute to spend the weekend with his parents, the Charles Anthonys.

Mrs. Harry Souders, Rex Hunter, Jim Bond, Mrs. Ernest Borchers and son Don, attended the Michigan State vs. William and Mary football game in East Lansing Saturday.

Leonard Allison, Hans Peterson and Joe Southwick are spending the week at the Conservation School attending the yearly meeting of the Fisheries Department.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Frymire and daughter, Sally, of East Lansing, arrived Saturday evening to spend a few days with her parents, the Harold MacNevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. MacLeod and niece Caren Dunham spent the weekend in Lansing visiting Mrs. MacLeod's sister, Mrs. Elmer Dunham and family. Mrs. Dunham had just returned to her home from the convalescent home where she had been confined with polio.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Clough, daughter Barbara and son Kerry spent the weekend in Lansing visiting Mr. Clough's mother, Mrs. F. Bellefy and sister, Mrs. Corliss Stamfly.

Morton Post and wife went to Oakley for pheasant hunting over the weekend. They returned with two nice birds.

The post office has a fresh coat of paint. Harold Mertes is the interior decorator on this job.

### 69 years ago Oct. 21, 1926

Alfred Hanson is in Alpena this week, taking a course of lessons in battery charging.

Archie MacNeven is celebrating his 93rd birthday, and receiving the congratulations of friends here.

Joseph McLeod is taking a week's vacation from his duties as deliveryman at the Nick Schjotz Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Armstrong of Frederic, are the parents of a baby girl, Margaret Arline, born Friday, Oct. 15.

A baby daughter, to be known as Irene Helen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tahvonen, Oct. 14, at Mercy Hospital.

Someone entered the garage of Rasmus Rasmusson one night this week and stole a brand new tire, inner tube and rim from the rear of his automobile.

Mrs. Clarence Ingalls entertained a party of young people Saturday evening at her home, in honor of Messrs. Clarence and William Carey of Flint, who accompanied Ora and Clarence home for the weekend.

C. O. McCullough is clerk for Grayling Township and anyone wanting to register for election may do so at his shop.

Mrs. Leo Jorgenson underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital Tuesday morning.

## Local Weather



Jesse Ferrell  
GES,



Rain or snow				Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake: Wednesday calls for partly sunny skies, with the highs of 55 to 60. There is a chance of rain on Thursday. The highs will be in the low to mid 50s, with the lows in the mid to upper 30s. Friday will be partly cloudy, with the highs in the low to mid 50s, and the lows near 40. There is another chance of rain on Saturday. The highs will be near 60, with the lows in the mid 30s.
Date	High	Low		
10/11	64	34		
10/12	74	34		
10/13	82	34		
10/14	79	40	0.08	
10/15	51	50	0.80	
10/16	46	36	0.38	
10/17	49	37		



